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STATE NEWS.

Androscoggin.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Androscoggin County Savings Bank, held Tuesday, Cyrus Greely, Esq., was elected President, and E. S. Paul, Esq., Vice President. The resignation of R. C. Pennell, Esq., was presented and accepted, and H. L. Pratt, Esq., Agent of Bates Manufacturing Company, was elected a member of the Board of Trustees.

Aroostook.

There were shipped from Houlton station for the week ending Dec. 10th: Starch 1 car; lumber 4; potatoes 5; miscellaneous 4; hay 11; shingles 4; leather 3; extract 1; posts 1; laths 1; sheep 2. Total 37 cars.

The new Methodist church at Caribou was dedicated Sunday. J. W. Day, presiding elder of Houlton district, conducted the services. He was assisted by Rev. C. P. Lereton, pastor of the church, and Rev. L. B. Withee, of Fort Fairfield, Rev. Mr. Young and Rev. Mr. Porter, pastors of the Baptist and Congregational churches in Caribou.

J. F. Bickford, of Mapleton, may be called a smart old man. He is seventy-two years old and was a volunteer in the "Aroostook War." For the past forty years he has been engaged in buying and selling cattle and sheep. This winter he has bought 6,000 bushels of oats, which he is delivering to the different lumber camps on the Aroostook river. He has contracted for several tons of beef. He buys the cattle, drives them to the ends of the settlements, kills them himself and sends the beef into the camps. He is also buying large quantities of beans and butter. The old gentleman is just as full of fun and frolic as any of the young men.

Last Wednesday, while Mr. William Betts, of Houlton, was hauling straw from his farm on the Ludlow road to his stable in the village, coming down a little hill, the front part of his load slid off and he came off with it, falling between the horses and lodging on the traces. The horses became frightened and ran, but Mr. Betts managed to roll off one side, and in doing so his feet became entangled in the reins and he was dragged several rods by the feet when the reins gave way, the hind wheel just grazing his back. He was seriously bruised on the hips and shoulder and was badly shook up, but will probably recover in a few days.

Cumberland.

The shoe factories of Portland have done $3,580,000 worth of business the last year, the local factories contributing $1,355,000. The factories have turned out 841,000 pairs of ladies' and misses' boots, shoes and slippers, at an average cost of $1.60 per pair. The factories employ four hundred and seventeen males and three hundred and fifty-eight females.

Old engines Nos. 1 and 7 of the Maine Central have been received at the Portland Company's shops to be broken up. They will send out in a few days a new slope-tank shifting engine, numbered 7, and a passenger engine No. 9, to the Maine Central. They will also deliver two more of the fifty cars to the Canadian Pacific Despatch.

It is reported that Granville H. Cloyes, treasurer of the Portland Firemen's Relief Association, is short in his accounts with this society, over $600. A board of investigation have considered the matter, and given Mr. Cloyes until the annual meeting in January to make good this deficiency. It is not thought there has been any intentional dishonesty on the part of Mr. Cloyes, but a general heedless way of doing business.

Franklin.

The People's Trust Company, of Farmington, have moved to their new building, corner of Main street and Broadway, site of the old county building.

In Bank Examiner Richards' report on the condition of the Maine Savings Banks, we find the following relating to Franklin county: Number of banks, 2; number of depositors, 2,585; total amount of deposits, $492,719.24; average for each of the 18,117 inhabitants of the county.

In the probate court, Tuesday, Judge Morrison appointed Hon. F. G. Butler and Byron Farrar, Esq., of Farmington, and John Toothaker, Esq., of Rangeley, appraisers of the estate of the late Sarah S. Belcher. They have three months in which to present their report.

Hancock.

There is talk of some Ellsworth parties building a new steam mill on Sunkhaze stream, and they have been there looking over the ground. Costigan parties also think of building a mill on Costigan Brook the coming spring. Should both of them be built, business will be lively in that section all next year.

Wilbry Billings, of Brooksville, was very badly hurt, recently, by having an ox-wagon loaded with a ton of coal, run over him. The wheel went over his hip and passed the whole length of his body, going off over his shoulder, scraping the side of his neck and head and breaking several ribs and tearing more off from the back-bone, the doctor said, pressing the bones down hard on the heart and lungs. It was on the left side.

Kennebec.

Capt. James Bailey, of Pittston, who is in his ninety-second year, was a drummer boy in the war of 1812. The past summer there were four generations in his house at one time—himself, son, grandson and great grandson, all named James Bailey.

The Gardiner shoe factory is doing a rushing business now, running at its fullest capacity. It employs about 225 hands and turns out 1500 pairs per day. The Saturday pay roll amounts to $2,350. They have recently made an important change in one department. They have employed Mr. W. H. Chellis as foreman of the making room.

The new greenhouse at Togus National home, D. V. S., is completed. The roof and walls contain nearly 3,000 square feet of glass. Charles O. Stone, of Vassalboro, was master workman. A few nights after starting the fire, the boiler collapsed, and it being a very cold evening, the plants had to be moved into the boiler room and pot house to save them from freezing. The damage was repaired the next day, and since then everything has worked satisfactorily.

Last year the Kennebec closed up December 2d, and the 6th all the ice companies were busy scraping, whilst this year during the past week they have been employed breaking the ice with small boats. It has several times closed up in fine shape, but the warm sun each day opened the channel, causing jams along the whole river, but the heavy rain of Sunday freed the river from ice and caused quite a freshet.

Oxford.

The Dixfield Spool Company began operations in their mill about a month ago. This company have one of the finest mills in the State. The main building is 90x100 feet, two stories high, clapboarded and nicely painted and finished.

Lucy F. McKeen, of Norway, was arrested on complaint of Fred H. Holmes, on the charge of assault and battery on Jesse McKeen, a boy of tender years, whom it is alleged she has cruelly treated for several years. The child was not her own, but one she had taken to bring up. She waived examination in the municipal court, Tuesday, and the case was taken to the Supreme court to be held at Paris in February next.

Ex-Governor Perham and family will leave Paris this week, visiting at several places in Maine before going to Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Perham will start for Washington next week, the Misses Perham joining them later. The Oxford *Democrat* says that Mr. Perham leaves for the winter with no such uncertainty regarding his health as that which existed two years ago, when it seemed hardly possible that he would ever be as well and strong as he is now.

A. O. Pike, of Fryeburg, is doing an unusually large business at his lumber and shook mill, located a few miles from the village on the line of the Portland & Ogdensburg railroad. A short time ago Mr. Pike showed what enterprise and getting up early in the morning will do in the shook line. He went to his mill and set his men at work cutting down several slender white ash trees. From these trees Mr. Pike made, seasoned over the fire and shipped to Portland, two bundles of good shook. The shook arrived in Portland the same afternoon and were delivered to Messrs. Hamlin & Co. If this is not doing things up lively, what would you call it?

Sagadahoc.

Although Mayor Wakefield, of Bath, has an occasional set-back since his illness and confinement to the house, he is now gaining and with fine weather it is hoped he will make good progress toward recovery. The principal trouble is with his throat, accompanied with rheumatic pains of muscles in one side, extending from the hip upward and making their presence felt in the chest.

Waldo.

At half-past ten Saturday night, the house of Nancy Harvey, at Frankfort, was burned, but the people did not find it out until half-past eleven, when the bell was rung and some of the people were called out the second time.

The selectmen of Montville met at several places in town last week, for the purpose of letting the breaking of the roads the present winter, in accordance with a vote taken at the last annual meeting. The roads were let in short sections to the lowest bidders, for a sum aggregating about $1,600, which is considerably in excess of the average cost of winter road-breaking. Petitions are being circulated for a town meeting to take further action in the matter.

Washington.

At the oyster supper in the Hall at Red Beach, Thursday evening, Edgar Young, a boy of fourteen years, was severely scalded by falling headforemost into a pot of boiling stew.

Short Cuts.

White and gold, red and green, are considered the Christmas colors.

Two hundred American railway conductors are enjoying an excursion through Mexico.

Explorer Greely does not believe that the North Pole will ever be reached except by balloon.

The marriage fees of some New York clergymen are said to amount to more than their salaries.

It is said that the output of anthracite coal, this year, will be the largest of any year in the history of the trade. It is estimated at 34,000,000 tons.

A woman, aged one hundred and four years, is reported to have engaged in a dance at Bethlehem, Pa., a few evenings ago, and to have surprised everybody by her agility.

It is said that Chauncey M. Depew carries $500,000 worth of insurance on his life. He must have obtained the policies before he became the target for countless dinner invitations.

Ducks are so abundant in Georgia that the Savannah market has become glutted. They are flying by thousands in large and small flocks, and one hunter in eight days has killed over seven hundred.

Miss Grace Matthews, daughter of Justice Stanley Matthews, will spend the winter at Princeton, N. J., keeping house for her brother, who is preparing to enter the ministry of the Presbyterian church.

A lot of Chinese gamblers were arrested in Chicago the other day, but when arraigned for trial, fourteen of them looked so much alike that they could not be identified, and consequently were discharged.

Mlle. Carlina Patti, the niece whom Mme. Patti adopted as a daughter during her last visit to America, has been so seriously ill that her medical attendants express little hope of her complete recovery. She is scarcely more than a child, having just entered her seventeenth year.

A young man who was examined for an appointment as a department clerk, came across this question: "What States and Territories would you cross in going from New York to the Pacific Coast?" He didn't know, and so he wrote: "None. I would go around by Cape Horn."

Philadelphia, next to New York, receives more fruit from across the ocean than any other port. When the regular season begins two or three steamers arrive every week, each containing from 20,000 to 30,000 boxes of oranges and lemons, making an average of 60,000 boxes of fruit received weekly.

There is a curious well in Williamsburgh county, S. C. It is about twenty feet deep, and the water on one side of it is all the time bubbling up as if boiling. On the other side the water is continually sizzling and popping as though confined in a hot vessel. The noise can be heard some distance from the well. The water is cold and fine.

"Joseph," said the merchant to the bright young man with the best of references, "the book-keeper tells me you have lost the key of the safe, and he cannot get at his books."

"Yes, sir, one of them; you gave me two, you remember."

"Yes, I had duplicates made in the case of accident. And the other one?"

"Oh, sir, I took care of that. I was afraid I might lose one of them, you know."

"And the other all right?"

"Yes, sir. I put it where there was no danger of its being lost. It is in the safe, sir."

American methods are sometimes strongly successful, even in England, where all things American are more or less derided. About six years ago there was in New York a tall, brawny young man named Henry Marks. He wrote for newspapers, played Wall street, and did the best he could generally. Finally, he went to England. Life was unpleasant here. With a capital of just $125 he started a stock-market newspaper in London. He called it the Financial News. How he kept it alive nobody knows. But he did. In the end it made a great hit. Last summer Marks bought him a private residence for $80,000 cash, and purchased the plant of Bell's Life for $75,000 more, both of which sums he paid in cash. It is reported that the gross earnings of this paper for the year reached $300,000. Now he proposes to give London an illustrated Sunday paper, and the chances seem to be as to the proposition that even London journalism is to be revolutionized to follow the American pattern.

Hotel Waiter—You are late for lunch, sir.

Eminent Physician—Yes, I had to finish my magazine article on "The Laws of Health" so as to get it into the next mail. What have you to-day?

"Hot rolls, clams, plum pudding, apple dumplings, mince pie and fruit cake."

"Bring 'em all."

Up Among the Clouds.

A TEDIOUS CLIMB TO THE TOP OF PIKE'S PEAK—CHARMS OF LIVING IN A VERY DESOLATE LOCALITY—WHERE THE THERMOMETER IS 40 DEGREES BELOW ZERO AT TIMES.

[Correspondence of the Boston Traveller.]

COLORADO SPRINGS, COL., }
Nov. 15, 1887. }

A countryman from the East could not have been more surprised at the beauties of nature in a mountainous region than was a certain gentleman who recently visited Pike's Peak. While I regret that I am forced to acknowledge that I was that surprised individual in order to make my story complete, yet it will not deter me in detailing a delightful experience that I had in a journey to the highest point in the country. At sunrise one delightful October morning I set out from Colorado Springs for the Peak as the guest of the observer who holds the highest position within the gift of any official of the government of the United States,—the President not being excepted in this case. We travelled on muleback at a rate equal to the present rapid transit system in Boston, and if this style of travelling is to be classed as rapid, why then of course we were not long in reaching our destination, for no accidents befel us and the trusty mules did not lose their footing as at times I feared they would. The first six miles of road over which we passed was equal to any cart-path in this Western country, and the government mules "Tenderfoot" and "Timber Line" behaved superbly; but at Manitou we left all semblance of good roads and took to the mountain trail. Doubtless few of the readers in the East know by experience what a trail is, and to those who do not I will add that the foot-path we followed was a most dangerous one. At times it led us along the sides of a canyon, and as we looked into the dark chasm below us all we could see was the rocks with their jagged edges forming a place worthy of the name of Death's Valley. The path was very narrow, and at places was only wide enough for a mule, while it would be very difficult for two persons or two animals to pass. After we had covered about four miles we reached the trail house, located about 3,000 feet above the town of Manitou. The trail house I found to be a cabin of ten rooms, picturesquely located in a grove of tall spruce trees in the shadow of high granite cliffs on either side of the canyon. Once more mounting our mules we proceeded to push forward, but we had not gone over a mile when the forward mule suddenly stopped and pricked up his ears, warning us that there was something ahead. We soon ascertained that the cause of the animal's disturbed condition was a large doe which stood in the pathway not fifty feet away from us, but before we could get a chance to shoot, she bounded down the sides of the canyon and disappeared in the thicket. With the exception of a grouse that we shot we saw no other game during our trip, and we reached the summit without any other occurrence worthy of chronicling. It was high noon when we passed beneath the portals of the observatory, and we were wearied from our long journey of eighteen miles and faint owing to the high altitude, but nevertheless we were ready to do justice to a dinner of boiled grouse—a dish which is a rarity in the East.

CONDITION OF THE LAND.

The country over which we passed was remarkable and the ascent was very hard. From the time we left the trail house, the road carried us up among the clouds at the rate of 1,000 feet ascension to the mile. A large amount of heavy timber grows along the sides of the canyon, and most of it is mountain spruce and pinyon pine, but there is a heavy aspen undergrowth. As we passed through the last two miles of timber we saw that the ground was covered with charred trunks of trees, showing that fire had visited this primeval forest on the sides of the lofty mountain. At an elevation of 12,000 feet we reached timber line, and the last three miles over which we journeyed before reaching the summit, was over huge boulders of red sand-stone. A short distance from the summit there is a large depression called the crater, but there is no evidence of a volcanic eruption. There is considerable game in the forest beneath the timber line, and bears and mountain lions are frequently captured by sportsmen, while it is no unusual occurrence to meet them while traveling down the side of the mountain. The view from the summit, which is 14,147 feet above the sea, is too grand for description, and must be seen to be appreciated. In the distance below, lies the towns of Manitou, Colorado City and Colorado Springs, and the latter with its regular streets looks like a mammoth checker-board. To the east, beyond Colorado Springs, one can see for over 100 miles, nothing but plains. To the south, nearly 150 miles away, and lying between Colorado and New Mexico are the Spanish peaks which rise to a lofty height, and their snow-white appearance is simply charming, while to the northwest of them is the snowy range extending far to the north. The city of Denver can be seen about 75 miles to the north, and looking southward about 45 miles away, lies Pueblo. Both of these places are almost obscured by day on account of smoke, but at night their electric lights are plainly seen. For many miles south of Pueblo, the Arkansas river can be seen as it winds its way along the valley. Pike's Peak, as I previously said, was a curiosity, and there is nothing but stone, trees and snow to be seen nearly all of the year around. On the top of the peak there are a few spots where the rock has crumbled, and on these there grows small flowers which spring up and blossom through the melting snow. There is no communication from the Peak to the towns below at present, the telegraph line being out of order, and it has been found to be an impossibility to keep it from grounding, owing to the forest, as the storms blow down the trees which carry with them the wire. The sun telegraph, as a means of communication is sometimes used at present with the town below. On the northwest side of the Peak there are several large gulches in which the snow is 50 feet deep, and it is upon this that the observer depends for his supply of water in the summer.

THE OBSERVER'S WORK.

Entering the signal station we find a cozy seat by the big stove and enjoy ourself by watching the logs of wood burn. Coal is not used, and the wood costs $20 a cord to cut, pack on the backs of mules and burros, and transport from the timber line three miles below. The signal station was established in 1873, and for several years daily reports were sent to Washington, but since the wire has been down only monthly reports have been sent. These would have been discontinued had not Harvard University taken an interest in it and shared the expense with the government. It is intended next summer to experiment in stellar photography at that high altitude. Observations are taken in regard to the weather, temperature, height of barometer, direction and speed of the wind, and the amount of snow and rain as well as the kind of clouds that are visible. These are taken at 7 A. M., 3 P. M. and 10 P. M. by the large clock which is kept with Washington time, but our time here is two hours earlier.

The signal station is a solid stone building, with walls two feet thick, and is anchored down, while it has double windows and an iron roof. It has a kitchen, dining room, office, bedroom and spare chamber for visitors, while a woodshed is also connected with the establishment. The instruments are mostly in the office, and there is a library, the books of which have been donated by friends, although many have been purchased. As we sit by the fire enjoying ourselves we can hear the wind outside playing a "te deum," as the Irishman says, and we take a look at the wind vane and see that it registers seventy-eight miles an hour, while the thermometer is at zero, and this in October, which is one of the pleasantest months of the year in the East. But this is not anything beside some of the weather that we have here, as it frequently reaches forty degrees below zero in January, and one hundred miles an hour is no unusual velocity for the wind. Think of it, and then of the pleasures that surround life in this forsaken place, where it is frequently impossible to get down to the town below and see anybody in two months. It is no unusual thing for the observer to have to travel five miles on snow shoes almost in the middle of summer in order to reach the town. In the way of eatables the observer is provided with a large supply of canned goods, which are brought up on mules in the summer months and he frequently has a dinner of game. The altitude of the Peak is so high that it is impossible for an observer to stay very long at a time, and when it is possible a change is made once a month.

In the summer months many excursionists visit the Peak, and the observer is beseiged with questions; some of which are ridiculous. Cats cannot live in this altitude, and consequently rats of mammoth size and mice abound. Many persons have been taken ill before reaching the Peak, and their experiences will not warrant their making another visit.

Water boils at 185° F., instead of 212°, as at sea level, and it is almost impossible to boil eggs, while beans cannot be boiled soft in ten hours. But I must return, and as we descend we pass through the clouds, and from a heavy snow storm on the Peak we enter the town of Manitou, where the sun shines brightly and it is as warm as any day in summer.

Business Items.

Do you suffer with catarrh? You can be cured if you take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. Sold by all druggists. 1

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WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET.

[Corrected semi-weekly by the Grocers' Association.]

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 14.

State Law Regarding Weights and Measures.

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 60 pounds and a bushel of Turks Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is 60 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of beans in good order and fit for shipping is 62 pounds. Of wheat, beets and peas, 60 pounds; of corn, 56 pounds; of onions, 52 pounds; of carrots, turnips, rye, and Indian meal, 50 pounds; of barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds; of oats, 32 pounds, or even measure as by agreement.

Country Produce.

APPLES—	
Per barrel	$1.25@2.50
BEANS—	
Improved Yellow Eye, per bush	1.50@1.70
Pea, hand picked, per bush	2.60@2.75
BUTTER—	
Choice new roll, per lb	20@22c
Fair to good	19@20c
CHEESE—	
Best Factory, per lb. (new)	12@13c
Best Dairy, per lb. (new)	12@13c
DRIED APPLE—	
Choice strung, per lb	6@8c
Choice sliced	8@10c
EGGS—	
Fresh laid, per doz	25@26c
HAY—	
Best loose, per ton	11.00@12.00
Best bales	12.00@13.00
OATS—	
Prime country, new, per bush	40@45c
Prime Western	47@50c
PEAS—	
Improved, per bush	2.25
Best Canada, whole	1.15@1.20
POTATOES—	
Best quality, per bush	65@70c
PORK—	
Round hog, per lb	6½@7c
POULTRY—	
Chickens, per lb	12@14c
Fowls	8@10c
Turkeys	15@18c
ONIONS—	
Per bush	1.25

Retail Prices Current.

SALT—	
Bangor, ground, in boxes, per box	20c
English butter salt, in 14 lb. bags, per bag	25c
In 28 lb. bags	75c
Liverpool, per bush	35c
Turks Island, per bush	40c
HERRING—	
English, scaled, in boxes, per box	25c
RAISINS—	
Loose Muscatels, per lb	15@22c
London layers	20@25c
Sultana	18@20c
Valencia	10@12c
CURRANTS—	
English, per lb	12@15c
CRANBERRIES—	
Per quart	10@12c
POP CORN—	
Best old, cob, per lb	5c
Best old, shelled, per qt	15c
KEROSENE OIL—	
120 test, per gallon	12c
150 test, per gallon	15c
VINEGAR—	
Pure cider, per gallon	25@30c
Pure W. W.	
FLOUR—	
Best Spring Haxall	$5.75@6.00
Best St. Louis	5.25@5.75
Good family	4.75@5.00
CORN—	
Full weight	75c
CORN MEAL—	
50 lbs to bush	70c
SHORTS—	
St. Louis bran, in sacks	$0.00@1.25
Milwaukee, per hundred	0.00@1.20
MIDDLINGS—	
Fine, per hundred	1.35@1.40
Coarse	1.30@1.35
COTTON SEED MEAL—	
In sacks of 100 lbs	1.35@1.40

Breadstuffs, Grain, etc.

OATMEAL—	
Best Scotch, per lb	5c
Best Irish	5c
Best Canada	4c
RYE MEAL—	
Per pound	4c
GRAHAM FLOUR—	
Per pound	4c
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—	
Per pound	5c
PORK—	
Country, clear, per lb	10@11c
Western	10@11c
LARD—	
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Granulated, per lb	7¾
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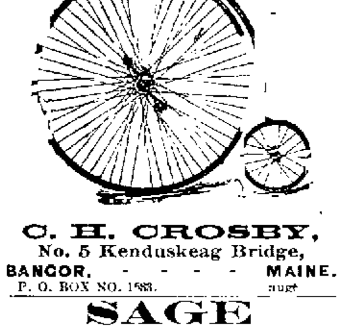

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Per order of the Boston and Bangor Steamship Co., there will be sold at Public Auction, a lot of unclaimed Baggage and merchandise, on

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At the Company's Wharf in Bangor, consisting of

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Bangor, Nov. 29th, 1887.
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NOTICE OF ABSENCE.

I shall be absent from the city three or four weeks, but my office will be open. F. H. Gillin, Esq., will promptly and carefully attend to any business left with him during my absence.
HIRAM J. PREBLE.
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Whig and Courier.

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All business letters should be addressed to Boutelle & Burr and communications intended for publication should be addressed "Editor of Whig and Courier

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1887.

Death of Governor Bodwell

The sudden announcement of the death of Governor Bodwell just at a time when the people of Maine after days of anxious watching were beginning to feel a sense of security and to hope that our honored Chief Magistrate was on the road to a speedy recovery will prove a severe shock to the entire State which is thus deprived of a most worthy Executive as well as a highly esteemed and valued citizen In the death of Gov Bodwell the State of Maine meets with a loss that cannot be over estimated not so much on account of his official connection with the government, for notwithstanding the unquestioned merit of his administration strong and earnest as it was his place as Chief Executive can be filled but the place of Joseph R Bodwell the public spirited broad minded energetic and whole-souled citizen cannot be supplied Always ready to respond to the appeal for aid and with the recollection of his own early struggles fresh in his memory his sympathy and generous assistance were freely given to those who like himself had to make their own way in the world He was a philanthropist in the full sense of the word and gave freely of his large means to aid all worthy objects As Governor the same devotion to principle that ever manifested itself in his private business relations marked his public career He devoted his best energies to the promotion of the welfare of the State always acting up to his honest convictions in all his official acts An honest man his life in public as well as in private affairs has been one of spotless integrity A fearless champion of what he believed to be right and an uncompromising foe of [illegible] wrong doing he leaves a name that will long be honored in the State of his adoption

Joseph Robinson Bodwell, a son of Joseph Bodwell was born in Methuen Mass June 18 1818 and was therefore nearly seventy years of age at the time of his death He was a lineal descendant of Henry Bodwell his first known American ancestor who bore a brave and conspicuous part in the war with King Phillip the chief of the Wampanoags Thus it appears that brave and vigorous blood flowed in his veins a fact manifested from the moment he was thrown upon his own resources which practically occurred when he was eight years old his father at that time having lost his property Young Bodwell then made his home with a brother in law and labored upon his farm until sixteen years old In 1835 he began to learn the trade of shoe making working nights and going to school in the day time Experience is oftentimes a rough teacher but it is also a thorough one and during these years of stern necessity Mr Bodwell laid the foundation of a character that has won for him during his long and useful career a lasting reputation for integrity and business sagacity

In 1838 he purchased a farm in connection with his father and with praiseworthy filial devotion assisted in its cultivation until 1848 when his father died

It was during this period that Mr Bodwell first began a study of the business which in after years made him so famous When the Lawrences of Boston began to utilize the water power of the Merrimac at Lawrence, Mr Bodwell was employed in hauling granite and became fully acquainted with the process of quarrying and working granite In 1852 Mr Bodwell with Hon Moses Webster began to work the granite quarries of Fox Island at the mouth of Penobscot Bay Prior to this time the granite islands and headlands on the coast of Maine were practically valueless but under the direction of Mr Bodwell and other enterprising men they have been changed into scenes of activity and have yielded material for some of our most magnificent national civil and private edifices The operations began in a most humble manner Mr Bodwell driving his own team of oxen but were developed on a most solid and progressive basis until as a result came the formation of the Bodwell Granite Company with the late Governor at its head as President an office he held up to the time of his death

In 1866 Mr Bodwell moved with his family to Hallowell where he obtained control of extensive deposits of a lighter and finer granite which his keen business perception told him would be required in the future and organized the Hallowell Granite Company in 1870, an important industry the active direction of which he assumed at the time as President and maintained up to his last illness The products of this quarry can be found all over the United States in beautiful statuary and buildings

All this time Mr Bodwell still maintained a fondness for agricultural pursuits and purchased a large farm in Hallowell which led to the importation of improved stock an enterprise in which he has engaged extensively for some years past He first imported a herd of thoroughbred Hereford cattle in 1870 and the experiment proved so successful that he became one of the largest importers of the Hereford, the Black polled Angus and Sussex breeds

Among other business enterprises Mr Bodwell organized the Bodwell Water Power Company at Old Town, and was elected President This corporation controls the largest water power in New England and as the outgrowth of this organization the foundation of a woolen mill is now being laid at Old Town, an enterprise in which the Governor took a lively interest and for some time past has been a frequent visitor at the scene of operations He was also engaged in lumbering and at the time of his death was an active projector in the proposed fast line railroad between Boston and New York

With the exception of two terms in the Legislature and two terms as Mayor of Hallowell and delegate-at-large to the Republican National Convention in 1880, Mr Bodwell, although frequently pressed by his friends to accept public honors, has steadfastly declined until 1886 when he consented to become the Republican candidate for Governor, an office to which he was elected in the fall of that year by a large majority Governor Bodwell first married, in 1848, Eunice, daughter of Josiah Fox, and she died in 1852, leaving one daughter, Mrs Paine, of Hallowell. In 1859 Governor Bodwell married the sister of his first wife, who, with his son, Joseph F. Bodwell, and his daughter, Mrs. Paine, will have the tender sympathy of the people of the State in this hour of sad affliction.

Gubernatorial Succession

The Constitution of Maine provides that when the office of Governor becomes vacant by death, resignation or removal the President of the Senate shall exercise the duties of the office until a new Governor is chosen This sad emergency having arisen in the sudden death of Gov Bodwell, the people of Maine are most fortunate in having the Governorship fall to such competent hands as President of the Senate Sebastian S Marble of Waldoboro Mr Marble combines a thorough knowledge of the State affairs with great executive abilities and will make a good Governor One of the earliest and staunchest Republicans of Maine, Mr Marble has repeatedly served in both branches of the Legislature, his last election to the Senate being his third consecutive victory in a strong Democratic locality, a record handsomely recognized in his unanimous selection as President of the Senate He was also United States Marshal for a number of years Thoroughly equipped for the new responsibilities that devolve upon him Mr Marble will doubtless administer the affairs of the State in a conservative and able manner

A High Old Republican Paper

A little while ago when we called attention to the peculiar manner in which the Portland *Advertiser* was vindicating its claim that it is a Republican paper by conspicuously parading nearly a column of the boasting of Powell, the Democratic candidate for Governor that he was going to be elected in Ohio, the *Advertiser's* reply was that it published the 'news There was so little news about the silly talk of the man who was buried out of sight by Governor Foraker that even the *Argus* ridiculed it Recently the *Advertiser* has given another illustration of its Republican zeal by publishing some more very cheap Democratic trash lauding Mr Cleveland and depreciating Mr Blaine over which it displays the headlines Cleveland s Steady Gain, Blaine s Steady Loss When we remark that the information thus conspicuously commended to Maine readers is obtained from an interview with Dick Townshend, one of the most cantankerous Democrats in Congress the arduous labors of the *Advertiser* in behalf of the Republican party cannot fail to be appreciated

A little later the same paper —in its uncontrollable zeal for the Republican party(!)—defended the appointment of Lamar to the Supreme Bench and loftily reprimanded Congressman Boutelle for opposing that outrage upon loyalty, in his remarks at the York Club dinner at Biddeford With that insufferable assumption of superior knowledge upon all subjects which so often makes the editor of the *Advertiser* ridiculous he says

Congressman Boutelle told the York Club that Secretary Lamar was 'the most dangerous man that could be selected for the Supreme Court vacancy Let Lamar go into the Supreme Court said Mr Boutelle and with a four years continuance of Cleveland in the Presidency, you will see what a Solid South will do with your constitutional amendments It would make little difference with the Court s determinations whether one man or another occupied the executive chair If Mr Lamar held the casting vote on the bench and the Court were to divide on party lines, no President could prevent it

This patronizing information is put forward with the gravity of a pedagogue and the idea probably never entered the peculiarly constructed head of the editor of the *Advertiser* that any person but himself could be aware that the Executive in this country does not exercise a veto power over the decisions of the Supreme Court To any person less egotistical than he it might have occurred that possibly the off hand report made of an impromptu speech would not be so literally accurate as to furnish a proper text for finical criticism Certainly any other newspaper editor in New England would have had a suspicion that a member of Congress from Maine might not need his instruction on so rudimentary a point. In fact while the outline report published was as accurate as the average of such abstracts made without the use of stenography it was obviously only the reporter s condensed version of the line of remark Mr Boutelle said in substance that with Lamar confirmed and with Cleveland continued four years in the Presidency with the opportunities likely to be afforded him by the death or retirement of judges, we would see very clearly how fast the Solid South would tighten its grasp on the Supreme Court of the United States

Still later we find the editor of the *Advertiser* insisting that President Cleveland s free trade message is the orthodox Republican platform, and as the infallible Richardson awkwardly climbs up alongside the Democratic candidate for the Presidency it is amusing to hear him reading Mr Blaine and Senator Frye out of the Republican party! We suppose we ought to be thankful that it did not go on and impeach the Republicanism of Senator Hale, and Representatives Reed, Dingley Milliken and Boutelle, who unite with Mr Blaine and Senator Frye in denouncing the President s free trade policy

Yet the *Advertiser* claims that it stays awake nights in its anxiety to promote the interests of the Republican party!!

The Blaine Interview at the White House

[New York Tribune]

Dan remarked the President as the two lingered in the dining room and helped themselves to another piece of Pie, 'Dan, please tell me fair and square—how does this interview with Mr Blaine which the *Tribune* prints leave my message? I d take it as a great favor if you'll give me a perfectly candid reply '

' No, no, ' said Dan, his face growing as crimson as one of the famous red sunsets 'don't let's talk of that matter. Let's talk of the Shakespearean controversy What dost thou think sire, of having an edition of thy message issued in Volapuk? By the way, speaking of roses, I heard a good story at the Hoffman House the last time I—

"Dan," interrupted Mr Cleveland in severe tones, ' I will not be put off in this manner I insist upon an answer to my question You've read the Blaine interview, I suppose?"

"Of course, of course, sire, everybody has read it How plainly the Washington Monument shows from this window The allusion to the Washington Monument reminds me of a witty remark that our friend Colonel Fellows—"

"Dan, such conduct is unworthy of you I request in all earnestness that you shall treat me with frankness, and you turn a deaf year to my entreaty. Now I tell you once for all that I will not be diverted from my purpose. I command you to give me a direct, unvarnished answer to my query. I repeat it—how does this interview with Mr Blaine leave my message?"

The breath of the Private Secretary came quick as an ideal messenger boy. Great beads of perspiration showed themselves upon his brow. At length after bracing himself with yet another quarter of pie, he turned his eyes sorrowfully upon his chin and observed: 'Will please repeat the question? Trust me, I shall true answer make."

"My question is,how does this interview with Mr Blaine leave my message? Surely it is not a hard query to catch the drift of Your answer, Dan Come, out with it "

"Sire, hast thou ever seen a plug hat that had been stepped upon by an elephant? Art thou familiar with the personal appearance of a bull as he emerges from an encounter with a lightning express train? Didst ever happen while sojourning amid rural scenes to gaze upon the remains of the hired man that had been drawn through the threshing machine? Canst thou recall how the target looks after a company of sharpshooters have got through amusing themselves at its expense?"

' Yes, Dan, I happen to have seen such a hat, such a bull, such a hired man, such a target But why do you refer to such things now? Have you not given me your word that you would true answer make to my request?"

With one wild convulsive shriek that tore the weather strips off the front doors and gave the dog Hector a fit, Dan exclaimed Well, the Blaine interview—I cannot tell a lie sire—left your message closely resembling that crushed plug hat, that pulverized bull, that ground hired man, that riddled target Dost forgive me sire?

There was a pause Then Mr Cleveland remarked in freezing tones—at least 20 below zero— Yes, I forgive you this time, but hereafter you will please not to obtrude upon me your opinion on controverted points '

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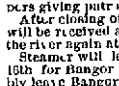

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In Orrington Center Dec 13th by Rev W T Jewell Mr William Thayer and Miss Sarah A Smith both of Orrington

DIED

In this city Dec 14th Ralph Dearborn son of John and Mary Dearborn aged 13 years 9 months and 29 days

Funeral Saturday Dec 17th at 11 o clock A M at the residence of Mrs A B Tibbetts Burial private

In Newburg Dec 15th Simon E Mudgett aged 63 years 4 months and 17 days

In Boston Dec 14th at the residence of her daughter Mrs H B Goodwin Mrs Elizabeth J Bradbury widow of the late Capt Benjamin B Bradbury of this city

There will be a funeral service at First Baptist Chapel this Friday forenoon at 10 30 Friends invited

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BOSTON Sld 13th, brig David Bugbee

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL
New York Produce Market

NEW YORK, Dec. 15 FLOUR— Receipts, 23,991 exports, 1 760—sales,12 800—No 2,3 15 a3 50 super fine Western and State,2 60a3 20, common to good extra Western and State, 3.15a3 60, good to choice do , 3 65a5 25, common to good extra Ohio, 3.10a5.25, common to choice white wheat Western extra, 4 70a5.00, common to choice extra St Louis 3 10a5 20, City mill extra, 4.50 a 4 75, winter wheat extra, 3.10 a 5 20, Minnesota extra, 3 10 a 5 25 Southern steady—sales 850—Common to fair extra, 3.40a3.90, good to choice, do , 4 00a5 00

Rye flour firm

WHEAT —receipts, 62,150, exports, 109,233, sales 74,000, No 2 Chicago, 89¼a0, No 3 Red, 90¼ a 00, No. 2 Red, 93¾a88¾, No 1 Red, a94, No 1 white 91¾a00

Rye dull

BARLEY quiet — sales 000 000 — No 2, 00

CORN—sales 48,000—No 2,60¾ a61, store, 63¾ a a63¾, yellow, 62, No. 3, 53a55¾

OATS — sales 118,000, No. 3, 36¾ a 00, white do , 36¾a36¾, No. 2, 36¾a37; do white, 38¾ a39¾, 37¾. No. 1, 40a00, No. 1 white, 00a 00; mixed western, 36a38, white, do., 38 a 43, white State 39a00.

SUGAR firm — Standard A, 6¾a 6 03-100, granulated, 00 a 6¾, powdered, 0.00 a 00, cut loaf, 7¾a7¾; crushed, 7¾ a 7¾, confectioners, 6¾a6 59-1000, yellow, 4¾a5.

MOLASSES — sales 00 bbls.—Orleans,

PETROLEUM — United, 77¾a 00, refined, 00 00; crude in barrels, 5¾a5¾.

TALLOW steady—sales 00 lbs., 4¾, choice, 5¾.

PORK steady—sales 000 bbls.—Mess, P. T., 15.00a old; 15.75a15.50 new.

Beef steady.

LARD higher — Western steam, [illegible]

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GEO. W. SULLIVAN,

HOLIDAY SALE OF

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Beginning Monday, I shall hold for the next three weeks a Special Sale of Useful Holiday Gifts in [illegible] factured exclusively for me, and 20 per cent less than they can be obtained elsewhere We wish it [illegible] quarters for these Goods, and as a great many are purchased for Christmas Presents we guarantee a [illegible] funded Come this week before a great rush

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67 Gray Goat Robes No 1 fancy plush	$7 50
56 Gray Goat Robes No 1 extra fancy plush	$10 00
45 Gray Goat Robes No 1 extra large continual	$12 00
42 Blk Goat—extra large	$12 00
47 Blk Goat—extra large	$1[illegible] 00
38 Blk Goat Robes No 1 Melton	$8 [illegible]
30 Blk Goat Robes No 1 extra Melton	$10 00

CARD—Each Robe will be marked with the original selling price cancelled so that every customer can see the immense discount they are getting

Fur Trimmings.

We have just received a job lot of Children s and Ladies Fur Trimmings of all kinds A great trade in three inch beaver that we shall sell for $1 [illegible] per yard

Fine Lot of Gent s Beaver and Nutria Gloves

Ladies and Gents Seal Gloves and Mitts

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All kinds of Furs made over and repaired Seal Sacques re-dyed

Gent Coats trimmed to order

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FUR COATS

Of [illegible]

20 Blk [illegible] bust $ [illegible]

[illegible]

And all [illegible]

Fur [illegible]

[illegible] style [illegible]

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Blk [illegible]

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Call [illegible] LATEST [illegible] of gett[illegible] of our [illegible] hailed [illegible] $1 [illegible] We l[illegible] Good

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Misses' Grain School Shoes for $1,25,

that will fill the bill for if our 16 years experience in shoe leather goes for anything [illegible] durability Fathers that wish to reduce their shoe bill will do well to provide th[illegible]

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Adams Express	140	Pacific Mail	34¼
American Express	105	Panama	
Central Pacific	35¼	Pullman Palace	139½
Ches & Ohio	4½	Reading	65⅛
Chicago Alton	30	Rock Island	111
" preferred	155	St Lou s & San Fran	34¼
Chic.Bur & Quincy	126	Preferred	69½
Del Hudson	102¾	1st preferred	112
Del Lack	26¾	St Paul	73¼
Den & Rio Grande	21½	Preferred	110
Erie	28	St Paul Minn & Man	105½
" preferred	64½	St Paul & Omaha	3[illegible]
Ills Central	116	Preferred	105½
Ind Bloom & Westn	12¾	Texas Pacific	24½
Lake Erie & Westn	14½	Union Pacific	55½
Lake Shore	94¾	U S Express	66
Louisville & Nash	60¾	Wabash, St L & Pac	15½
Manhattan El	96½	Preferred	29
Mich Cent	86	Western Union	77
Minn & S L	8	BONDS	
Preferred	18	Threes	000
Mo Pacific	89	4s reg	125
N J Cent	74	4s Coup	126
Northern Pac	21¾	4½s reg	107½
Preferred	45¾	4½s coup	107½
Northwestern	105¾	Cent Pac 1sts	116
Preferred	138¾	Den & Rio G 1sts	117½
N Y Cent	107¾	Erie Seconds	96
N Y Chic & St L	16¾	Kan Pac Consols	100¾
Preferred	28¾	Oregon Nav 1sts	110¾
Ohio Cent		Union Firsts	115
Ohio & Miss	24	Union Land Grants	
Ont & Westn	16¾	Union Sink Fund	

Chicago Produce Market

CHICAGO, Dec. 15 Flour steady

WHEAT — Regular, 00 a 00 No, Chicago Spring, 75¾a75¾, No 3 Spring, 00, No 2 Red, 00a77¾

CORN—No 2, 47¾a00

OATS—No 2 38a38¾

RYE—No 2 61¾a00

BARLEY—No 2, 70a76

Notice of Assignee of His Appointment.

At Old Town, in the County of Penobscot and State of Maine, the 15th day of December, A. D 1887

The undersigned, hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of the estate of Noah G. Gould of Old Town, in said County of Penobscot, insolvent debtor, who has been declared an Insolvent upon his own petition by the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot.

JOSEPH F GOULD, Assignee.

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1887.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS.

GOVERNOR BODWELL DEAD.

The People Mourn a Worthy Chief Magistrate and a Noble Man.

His Death Sudden and Unexpected

Expressions of Sorrow from all Over the State

AUGUSTA, Dec 15 About half past [illegible] this morning Governor Bodwell breathed his last He had just risen and seated himself in his chair, when almost instantly without a moan or struggle he died He was feeling better the previous evening and had passed a comfortable night

[illegible] when Dr Thompson issued his bulletin he reported the Governor's friends and himself as very much pleased with the progress made towards recovery [illegible] said to his friends, 'I have had a more comfortable day than [illegible] and he gave every assurance [illegible] symptoms, appearance and words [illegible] which had been so much [illegible] had been passed and that he was on the mending turn

[illegible] was with him in the afternoon and called again at nine o clock in the evening He found his patient so improved that he did not deem it [illegible] for his son Dr W I Thompson to remain with him as usual

In an interview with General Tilden, [illegible] of the Hallowell Granite Co and a confidential friend of the Governor, a reporter ascertained that although the Governor had appeared to be [illegible] he had not slept as much as [illegible] during the day and has been restless [illegible] wishing to change his position from the chair to the bed and back again quite frequently He had had two or three short naps during the day and obtained as much rest as [illegible] cared to [illegible]

[illegible] his mind was as bright and sharp [illegible] of subjects of business [illegible] were [illegible] presented to him [illegible] this office During the first part of the night he continued restless and could not get much sleep, what he did get was while sitting in his chair About [illegible] o clock in the morning however, he fell into a most peaceful slumber, his breathing being as natural as when well It was while he was sitting in his chair [illegible] his brother thought he had fainted and [illegible] get him some restoratives but his [illegible] remained with him He realized the truth and called to the Governor's [illegible] to return When he came back the Governor was past all need of earthly help

Dr Thompson was next seen by the Journal reporter and asked to state the cause of his death The doctor said that it was heart failure caused by the affection of that organ by the congestion of the left lung in the immediate vicinity of the [illegible] artery and orifice that he had expected his death at any time until yesterday when the improved condition of the [illegible] gave him the impression that the critical condition had been passed [illegible] were repeated in an interview with the brother and nephew of the [illegible]

Another Account

[illegible] before [illegible] he spoke to his brother [illegible] asked that he might be assisted [illegible] After he had been there a [illegible] he spoke to his nephew [illegible] 'I shall have some beefsteak for breakfast this morning' [illegible] 'Wouldn't it be better [illegible] have some brandy and milk?' [illegible] stimulus saying in a careless way that he would not take it implying that it was against his wishes to take [illegible] of this kind when something [illegible] just as well

A few moments after the subject of a [illegible] was again broached to him and [illegible] suggested that it would be [illegible] have a little brandy and water [illegible] refused Shortly after this he [illegible] exclaimed 'Pull me up quick' [illegible] and nephew got him up and [illegible] 'Get me into the chair as [illegible] you can' His brother and [illegible] him but before he was [illegible] sank hopelessly in their arms [illegible] with great difficulty placed in the [illegible] When seated he threw his head [illegible] and died without a groan

Not a Surprise to Medical Men

HALLOWELL Dec 15 The sudden [illegible] of Governor Bodwell does not cause [illegible] to medical men His disease [illegible] is one very difficult to deal [illegible] convalescence Its effect is to pro[illegible] [illegible] clots of fibrine These if taken [illegible] circulation are likely to lodge [illegible] brain heart or lungs and the result [illegible] either case It is this feature [illegible] the profession to never feel secure of a patient until sufficient time has [illegible] for this matter to be completely [illegible]

[illegible] Bodwell had a strong constitution Although a very stout man, weighing [illegible] and he was abstemious in his habits He was not a heavy eater, but [illegible] his meals as well as the ordinary [illegible] He was apt to be irregular in his [illegible] habits on account of his immense [illegible] and took his dinner whenever he [illegible] a chance He never tasted liquors [illegible] kind When in the company of [illegible] men in Boston, New York or elsewhere he invariably refused to drink with them, and always turned down his wine glass at banquets

A prominent member of the State Government who has associated much with Governor Bodwell since the inauguration, said "I have noticed at times that the Governor has not seemed to be feeling just right One day, especially, in the Council Chamber, I and others saw that he had a heavy, drowsy look, but I supposed then it was due to his having been out on a night train or something of that sort I think Governor Bodwell knew, of late that his heart was not exactly right and that he realized when he was stricken at Brunswick, that the trouble was with his heart I believe that in the beginning of his sickness he feared it would end fatally"

The Second Governor to Die in Office.

AUGUSTA, Aug. 15. The only Governor of Maine, who died in that office, previous to Governor Bodwell, was the Hon. Enoch Lincoln, who passed away near the close of his second term, Hon. Nathan Cutler of Farmington, serving during the remainder of the term as acting Governor. Mr. Lincoln was the third lawyer who opened an office in Paris He was a native of Worcester, Mass In 1819 he moved to Paris The same year he was elected to Congress He continued to serve in Congress until 1826, when he was elected the third Governor of Maine He was re-elected and in 1829, declined a second re-election, intending to retire from public life at the close of that term His death was quite sudden, and away from home In the autumn of 1829, he was present at the Cony Female Academy in Augusta to deliver an address He was suffering from severe indisposition At the house of a friend he grew worse, and died on October 11th, at the age of forty-one years His remains were placed in a tomb erected on the State domain in front of the Capitol at Augusta A plain granite shaft marks the last resting place of the first Maine Governor who died while holding that office

Tributes to His Memory

AUGUSTA, Dec 15 The announcement of Governor Bodwell's death at 5 30 this morning, came like a shock after the reports of his improvement and causes profound sorrow among all classes in the community

At the State House all is sadness and gloom, and wet eyes are seen Governor Bodwell was beloved by all about the State House, and his Council was strongly attached to him

General Harris, Superintendent of Public Buildings, has engaged Capt George Brown, of Portland, to drape the State House Councillors Warren of Castine and Wood, of Winthrop are here and others are expected during the day

Among the State officers here the matters of a public funeral and of bringing the remains here to lie in state, are discussed The Secretary of State has notified the Hon S S Marble, of Waldoboro, who is now by the Constitution acting Governor, of the death of Governor Bodwell

From Hon James G Blaine

Hon James G Blaine sends condolence from Paris to Governor Bodwell s family

Sadness in Portland

PORTLAND Dec 15 The news of the Governor s death did not become generally known in Portland till nine o clock

It caused great sadness everywhere Temperance men here say his death is a great blow to their cause The political men say that one result of his demise will be a lively contest for the next Republican nomination for Governor

The City Council will take suitable action The proposition to hold a public funeral, if it is agreeable to the Governor s family finds much favor here If it is carried out Portland will send a large delegation Payson Tucker and other prominent citizens of Portland have sent letters of condolence to Mrs Bodwell

Resolutions of Respect

At a meeting of the Young Men s Republican Club of Portland held this evening the following resolutions were unanimously adopted

Whereas Our honored Governor Joseph R Bodwell, has been removed by death

Resolved That we sincerely deplore the untimely loss of one who had administered the affairs of the State with such courage and fidelity and whose blameless private life and honorable public service commend his example to every citizen

In Rockland

ROCKLAND Dec 15 The Rockland City Government held a special meeting this evening and took the necessary steps to properly observe the death of Governor Bodwell The regret is universal in this vicinity where the Governor spent the most of his business life

In Lewiston and Auburn

LEWISTON Dec 15 The City Council of Auburn to day and of Lewiston to night passed resolutions of respect for Governor Bodwell

Maine Board of Agriculture

FARMINGTON Dec 15 At the winter meeting of the Maine Board of Agriculture held in Strong to day Hon W L Daggett announced the death of Governor Bodwell and Messrs Harris Gilbert and Hon J W Porter, of Strong, acted as a committee and reported suitable resolutions of sorrow

In Gardiner

GARDINER Dec 15 The news of the death of Governor Bodwell was received in this city early this morning Flags on numerous business places were displayed at half mast and a general expression of profound sorrow was manifested

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FROM AUGUSTA

Acting Governor Marble to Assume his Duties To-day

AUGUSTA Dec 15 Governor Marble and Council meet at the Council Chamber to-morrow at 10 A M Gov Marble assumes his duties then

PORTLAND REPUBLICANS

Enthusiastic Meeting of the Young Men s Club

PORTLAND, Dec 15 At an enthusiastic meeting of the Young Men's Republican Club of Portland held this evening seventy four new members joined, bringing the total membership up to over a hundred

THE REPUBLICAN CLUBS.

A Strong Blaine Feeling in the Convention.

NEW YORK, Dec 15 There is a strong Blaine flavor in the convention of Republican Clubs A reporter who sampled opinions of some of the delegations found the Maine men naturally for Blaine, first, last and all the time

Massachusetts men said they were bent on the success of the party nominee, whoever he might be

The leaders of the Pennsylvania delegation said the State will give Blaine one hundred thousand majority if nominated but will wheel into line behind any solid Republican

Ex Congressman Neal, of Ironton, Ohio said Ohio is "O K Her first choice is Sherman, and second undoubtedly Blaine The only element of uncertainty will be the issue in New York, Indiana, New Jersey and Connecticut "Hurrah for Blaine" was his ejaculation.

N G H Pulsifer of Maine, as he presented the credentials said "Maine is solid for Blaine" He continued "But, like Blaine it is every time for the Republican ticket"

Lieut - Governor Robertson, of Indiana, said Indiana wanted Harrison on the ticket somewhere The party is in a pretty fair condition Whether Indiana will go for Blaine is uncertain.

Col. Charles S. Forbes, of St Albans, Vt, declares his State for Blaine Vermont is for protection and Cleaveland's message has created a strong sentiment against him

Connecticut's Representatives said there was no doubt about the Nutmeg State His State wants Blaine

THE WEATHER.

WAR DEP'T. OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER.
Washington, D. C., December 16—(1 A.M.)

Indications:

For Maine: Rain and snow; followed by colder, fair weather; brisk to high northwesterly winds, diminishing in force.

Do you suffer with catarrh? You can be cured if you take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. Sold by all druggists.

LOCAL MATTERS.

The assembly of the Hamlin Rifles, which was to have occurred to-night, has been postponed until after New Year's

The waiting rooms at the Maine Central depot have been completed and the paint is now drying They are very comfortable and convenient

Two new boilers from the Penobscot River Steam Boiler Company have recently been put in at the Vanceboro Wooden Ware Company's mill

The schooner Webster Barnard was towed to F W Ayer & Co s mill last night from Belfast by the Ralph Ross, to be loaded with lumber for New Bedford

Mr Robert J McCann, of this city, has purchased of Buzzell & Hayward the Houlton Bakery Mr McCann has been employed as baker at this establishment for some time

Yesterday was pay day on the Bangor and Piscataquis Railroad and Treasurer Blood made his annual monthly trip over the line disbursing the well earned wages to the railroad men

Mr F Lewis Clark, formerly of Bangor, now of Spokane Falls, W T, sails from San Francisco to the Sandwich Islands for a business and pleasure trip on the 7th of next month

The schooner Glenullen sailed yesterday afternoon for Bar Harbor with a full cargo of hay, loaded by Mr G L Moor After being discharged she will be hauled up at Steuben for the winter

The lumbermen in this city who have not already hauled up their scows took advantage of the high tides for the last two days and have got all of them out on the wharves None of them will be frozen in this winter

The headquarters of the party of Greeks, Germans and Swedes, that tramped to this city from Greenville are at the Poor Farm for a few days until the arrival and departure of the steamer Caroline Miller which will take the party to New York

The Maine Central Railroad Company is having two new shifting engines built at the shops in Waterville for the yard in this city One of them is expected here in a few days, as it has been nearly completed and the other will not be sent out for a number of weeks Both will be made purposely for shifters and substantially constructed with that end in view

The new Odd Fellows Hall at Old Town, will be completed the last of this or the first of next month, and it will be dedicated with appropriate exercises The Encampment at Old Town numbers about ninety members and is in a very prosperous condition A number of the Bangor Odd Fellows will attend the dedicatory exercises and arrangements are being made for a grand time The new hall has been substantially built and is an ornament to the town

MAINE PATENTS The following list of patents issued to Maine inventors for the week is reported for us by Mr P W J Lander Solicitor of Patents James H Libbetts, Brunswick rein guard, Ernest A Harris Mechanic Falls, machine for cutting veneers, Edward B Allen, Portland burnishing machine, Edward W Robinson, Portland head rest Whole number for the week—Patents 349, designs 16, trade marks, 20, labels, 11, reissues, 1 total, 396

THE WEEKLY COURIER of this week contains much interesting and important matter Among its articles are to be found the following The Plymouth robbery, with the testimony of witnesses at the examination fiftieth Congress, news from eastern Maine continuation of Wilkie Collins' interesting story Countess Narona editorials on the leading questions of the day, the latest by telegraph, Republican National Convention, State news, agricultural items marine and stock reports Grange meetings, locals, etc Copies in wrappers for mailing may be obtained at the counting room

DEATH OF MRS NICHOLSON Mrs Joanna Nicholson, of Bucksport, who was mentioned in the WHIG as having been taken insane while in this city two weeks ago last Friday, died at her residence last week, Thursday, about 11 o'clock, aged 47 years, nearly She leaves an only daughter, sixteen years old, the only relative by blood ties in the United States Mrs Nicholson s maiden name was Vaughan or Von She came to this country from Liverpool, Eng, when about twelve years of age and has resided in Bucksport ever since She was a very industrious woman Her husband Capt Nicholson, died about fifteen years ago

MRS R A WEBSTER'S FANCY OPENING The Christmas opening of Mrs R A Webster, which occurred yesterday, was very successful and the attendance during the day was very large The visitors greatly admired the splendid display of all kinds of fancy goods that was made and the sales were excellent, nearly all who entered going away with packages of fancy articles from her large assortment Baskets, toilet sets, photograph cases and in fact all kinds of art work suitable for Christmas presents are to be found at Mrs Webster's rooms The line of goods is a very full one and contains many beautiful specimens of artistic needle work

AN INTERESTING LECTURE A correspondent writes The students of Bucksport Seminary enjoyed a rare treat on Friday, Dec 9 Dr C R Crandall, of Portland, delivered his lecture on the "Use of Poetry" in the Seminary Chapel The Doctor is a man who, although pressed and burdened by the perplexing duties of his profession, finds time and thought for literary pursuits, in which he takes great delight He is familiar by long and critical study with the best thoughts of the best authors, and in this lecture sets forth in pleasing style and forcible language the elevating and ennobling influences of poetry No one can listen to it without a fresh inspiration and a keener appreciation of the benefits of poetry and an increased desire for a knowledge of it

MAINE CENTRAL FREIGHT BUSINESS IN BANGOR. From the Directors' report to be presented at the annual meeting on Dec 21st, we learn of the following schedule of the amount of freight business carried on at the Maine Central station in this city for the year ending the 30th of last Sept Number of tons of freight handled, 182,305 This is more than any other station. Portland comes next with 171,986 tons. The net freight earnings of the Bangor station were $260,035.47. This is equal to those of Lewiston, Auburn, Bath and Augusta combined. The net freight earning on freight received were $123,605 83. This is larger than any other station, exceeding Portland by $16,000. The railroad officials state that they were set back three of their best business months the first of the season by the Inter-State Commerce Bill, but the recovery has come about, and the showing made at the station in this city is certainly a fine one.

HELD FOR TRIAL

In Bonds of $60,000 Each.

Conclusion of the Examination of the Plymouth Burglars.

The Evidence Against Them Overwhelming.

A Decision that Meets With Universal Approval.

The Supreme Court room was again packed yesterday forenoon when the hearing in the Plymouth robbery case was continued, and many went away being unable to get into the room Soon after ten o clock the prisoners were brought in by Sheriff Brown and Officer Allen and were given seats near their counsel When the hearing began Don A H Powers Esq stated that he wished the revolvers produced Wednesday to be examined by an expert, and he named Mr John H Hatch Officer Allen was selected by County Attorney Appleton for the government and they with Sheriff Brown retired to an other room to examine the revolvers The first witness called was Dr Austin S Harvey

DR HARVEY S TESTIMONY

After being sworn Dr Harvey testified to having been a physician at Newport for ten years Was summoned by a young man named Caverly to the Bennett house about 10 o clock on the morning after the robbery Called at Mr Daniel O Billings and got him to go to Bennett s house to assist me Reached the house about two o clock and found Frank Bennett and Frank Patten with their wives Peter Bennett was partially dressed His head face hands and clothing were covered with blood and his hair was matted with blood There were seven wounds upon upon the vertex of the head and three upon the face

The wounds on the face he should say were made by different instruments Those on the face had a resemblance to a letter Y and were incisions that appeared as though made by something dull Some of those on the head looked as though made by a glancing blow Took stitches in nearly all the wounds on the head and on one over the eye Mr Bennett was considerably excited He had a contusion upon the right shoulder, which must have been made by some hard dull instrument

CROSS EXAMINATION

It is possible that some of the wounds on the head and face could have been made by a revolver as no bruises were found If a slung shot had been used bruises would be expected to be found Frank Bennett and wife left the room while the wounds were being attended to My impression of Bennett and his wife at the time was that they were both intoxicated Five book straps were found in the room and his attention was attracted to them They had no handles Frank Bennett when he entered the room began sniffling and then went out The dog was there when he arrived The wounds might have been caused by a slung shot and the contusion on the shoulder might have been caused by that instrument

MRS PATTEN S TESTIMONY

After being sworn Mrs Patten testified I lived in Plymouth on the night of the robbery, and my bedroom communicates by a door with Mr Peter Bennett s room Mr Bennett and his wife went to bed on the night of the robbery between seven and eight o clock My husband and I retired afterwards Have seen my grandfather open the trunk quite often The money was in a small trunk inside of the large trunk Some of the money packages had slips of paper around them others woolen thread and others elastics Nobody had keys to the trunk but my grandfather I and my husband retired the night of the robbery at nine o clock The situation of the rooms was described There had never been a lock on the slide door of the barn I was at home a week before the robbery The Tuesday night before the robbery Mr Bennett left Newport at 12 o clock for Bangor and returned Wednesday night at seven o clock While away a man came to the house The witness at this point identified Foster as the man He was sitting beside the kitchen door in front of the fire place, back to the trunk and bed He said ' Good morning, and making no inquiry soon after said "You tell Mr Bennett I shall come and see him again ' He then got up and went into the shed closing the door after him He was gone five or ten minutes then he came into the kitchen and went into the sitting room, shutting the door I opened the door and found him by the fire-place looking at the trunk Foster looked about the room and particularly at the trunk He remained in the room five or six minutes but made no conversation Foster then went out into the shed again and through the same doors as the trunk was afterwards taken through Saw him go down through the orchard after he left the house He had on dark clothes, felt hat and an overcoat The next time I saw Foster he was in jail in Bangor Went into the jail with Mr and Mrs Brown Viewed the prisoners on the right corridor, then went to the left Nobody pointed out Foster to me When I got to the cell where Foster was Mr Brown said ' Come, let s go farther " I said, ' I've gone far enough, this is the man " Was aroused on the night of the robbery by the dog driving the cat out of doors Soon after I heard grandfather scream and beg somebody not to kill him Heard the trunk being dragged out, and the report of the pistol My husband and I jumped out of the window and ran down the road to Frank Bennett s house Went to Mr Clark s to get him to come over to the house My father came to the door in his night clothes My father put on his clothes and he and his wife went off to Peter Bennett's

CROSS EXAMINATION

Prior to the robbery my father and mother had about $300, but had lost it My father then had no money My husband had some money, about $400 He had sold a farm of his in West Hampton, N. H I had about $400 which belonged to my husband, as he wanted me to carry it Most of the windows in the house were fastened, but one of those in my bedroom was not, and could be opened about half way. After the report of the revolver we jumped out of the window, my husband first. The dog would bark sometimes when people approached, and sometimes not Nothing was seen of him the next day. I don't remember whether or not I or my husband had on our stockings when we jumped from the window. I never knew my father to have a revolver or a dark-lantern. He was sober, and I don't know of his having any liquor that night.

DR. E T. NEALLEY'S TESTIMONY.

I am a physician, and live in Bangor. I have made the study of the microscope a specialty, and have been engaged in it ten or twelve years. I have examined the money taken from Whitney and Foster to see if it had blood upon it. The money was brought to me by Deputy Sheriff Sylvester and Constable Horn I also examined two suits of clothing and a slung-shot. The blood cells are brought out by soaking with the proper reagents This was done, and it was found that the slung-shot had been washed This blood on the slung-shot might have been human blood and I think it is, although I could not swear to it I examined three $10 bills under the microscope, and found blood on them that might be human blood A black vest and black hat were also examined by me Dr Nealley identified both the hat and vest I found blood on the rim of the hat and in three places on the front of the vest I consider the stains on the slung shot and bills very recent ones

MRS FRANK BENNETT S TESTIMONY

I am the wife of Frank Bennett and we live thirty or forty rods from Peter Bennett s We retired the night of the robbery at seven o clock We were aroused that night by a rapping on the door We jumped up and found Patten at the door who said that Peter Bennett was being robbed My husband and I were both in our night clothes and started for the house my husband having a small gun We went to the orchard and saw three men running away No liquor was drank by us that night I have seen Mr Bennett open his large trunk but have never observed the contents of the small trunks My husband has never owned a revolver and I have not had one for six years There has been no revolver in the house for six years When we left the house we met Peter Bennett in our dooryard After being in the orchard we went to Weed s and then further up the road to Clark s When we found the trunk in the orchard we were gone about five minutes

At this point an adjournment was made to the afternoon at 2 30

AFTERNOON

Mrs Bennett was called to the stand when the Court came in and Mr Powers proceeded with his cross examination of the witness

After going to father Bennett s the night of the robbery, remained there until the next night Did not see the dog there My man asked his father when we went up where the dog was Had worked at Peter Bennett s off and on Had staid there over night Don t know how the windows were fastened Never noticed the fastenings I bought a revolver three or four years ago It might have been six, am not sure My husband never used it nor had it He never had one in his possession since we were married Husband had not been taking any liquor the night of the robbery or the next morning I never looked inside Peter Bennett s trunk Have seen the inside of Mrs Bennett s Have seen money in it My father in law told my man before me and Mr Cole if anything should happen to him that there was $30 000 in that trunk

PETER BENNETT RE-CALLED

Was in Court when the officer opened the money yesterday I saw the strings which were on the packages of money It was the yarn which I put around it, or some exactly like it To the best of my judgment it was the same

Cross examined—Mabitha Frank s wife went and got the yarn for me to put around it Don t know whether she got it more than once Don t know how many times I have used red or blue yarn Don t know that I heard anything said about red yarn before I came into Court yesterday Mr Sylvester said nothing to me about it Heard nothing of it till I came to this city I think it was yesterday I think I heard it spoken of outside the court room Think it was since the trial commenced

Mr Appleton said the government would rest its case here

EVIDENCE FOR THE DEFENSE

Mr Powers said he would first call Frank Bennett, who was sworn My full name is Franklin Bennett Live about sixty rods from my father s Did not stop at my father s last summer Worked for him a day or so perhaps Always go there off and on I go in the kitchen and sitting room Don t know how the windows are fastened Knew that my father had a large sum of money Never talked with him about keeping his windows or doors fastened Cannot recollect that I ever did Don t know whether he fastened his doors or windows Don t know where my mother s money was Don t know where my mother s money was kept before it was put into the trunk Heard my mother say she had it in the west room Did not advise having it put into father s trunk where it would be safe Heard my father say ' You remember Frank, if anything happens that I am taken away suddenly I have got $30,000 inside of these trunks ' He opened the large trunk and the larger of the two trunks inside it was two thirds full of bank bills

This was when I helped him in breaking up The same day, this fall, that Mr Cole was there Mr Abisha Cole He has been in the city since I have been here Cannot say whether he has paid my father any money since the robbery Was quite dark the night of the robbery Can t tell what time we were called Ten or eleven o clock Can't say exactly Didn't look at the clock Put on my pants and took a little gun of George Patten's My gun is a Springfield rifle Lock and stock are broken Been so more than a year Has been loaded two or three months Don't think it can be fired off Had no other fire arms except the gun of Patten s Have not had a revolver since I was married Took the shot gun and my woman and started for father s Met my father Went up to the house and into the orchard My woman followed me with a lantern My father told me robbers had dragged the trunk into the orchard Father heard them Had seen no one Don t think I heard my wife say she saw three men go over the fence She said she thought she did

I went into the pasture Was there perhaps five or ten minutes Then went to the house Don't know how long I was there before I went for the doctor Went down to Weed's My wife, daughter, George Patten and my boy Frank went with me None of them wanted to stay at the house I had done nothing for father and don t know whether others had or not Went to Weed's on the run, told him what I wanted and he said he would go after the doctor Wife and I went back through the pasture without a lantern When George came back with my lantern we went out after the trunk Went down in the big orchard. Were gone fifteen or twenty minutes My woman and I and my boy went Found the trunk in perhaps ten or fifteen minutes Orchard contains perhaps two acres Found trunk rod or two from pasture fence. Twenty or twenty-five rods from house. I found no revolver that night. When I brought the trunk up fired the gun. Told Mr. Doble so. Did not bring the trunk up before I went after the doctor.

Fired the gun to scare men if they were around. Left Frank's gun and got George Patten's. A breech loader. Loaded it and took two or three cartridges with me. Fired the gun but never reloaded it. Did not see the dog. Absence of dog was spoken of Was not intoxicated Sunday night Drank some liquor following day About noon I think Was not intoxicated Remained with my wife with my father Out and in the room during the night Did what I could to help Went to my house once that evening Mr Doble, Mr Clark, Mr Billings and Dr Harvey were there Did not remain out of room over ten minutes at a time Could go to my house and back in three minutes Know nothing about the fastening of the shed door Have seen a hasp on it Quite likely have called my father up in the night Never came to that door in the night Didn't know how the door was fastened My house was searched after the robbery Do not know what they found Did not hear my father say if they could not find anybody but his relations to search they had better go home Did not say it was Tim Brooks' work My wife said Tim Brooks broke her trunk Did say it was broken much as here was broken

Picked up two pieces of cloth with strings tied on them Did not say that Mrs Hall had a dress like it (This testimony was ruled out) Never made a proposition to any of my relatives to take my father's money and divide it

There was no cross-examination by the government

GEORGE PATTEN S TESTIMONY

George Patten was next called and sworn—Am twenty seven years old Son in law of Frank Bennett Lived in this State since September Brought about $600 here with me Let my wife have about $500 of it She had $400 the night of the robbery We were in a room adjoining Mr Bennett s My guns were locked up in the next room Kept them there so I would know where they were Have two shot guns and a rifle My wife had the key of the room in her pocket She generally locked the door herself Heard my grandfather s cries for help Jumped out of bed Got out of window Had no means of defense in room where I slept Heard Mr Bennett when he was up setting the dog on the cat Don t think I had quite got to sleep when the house was robbed The dog did not bark much when he chased the cat Think it was about thirty minutes before I heard the outcry Did not open my door

Was much frightened Went to bed after Mr Bennett Went through or from his room to mine His wife went to bed before he did Don t remember whether he spoke to me or my wife before he went to bed Left the house because I was frightened and wanted to get out of the way Don t know whether the dog is a watch dog or not Sometimes he barks and sometimes does not when people come Don t know how much money Mr Bennett had Knew he was keeping money in that trunk Knew nothing about his wife s money where it was kept Don t know that I heard Mr Bennett say any think about notes being gone Went with Frank Bennett over to Weed s Did not dare to stay alone Was very much frightened Came from Frank Bennett s, went down to Mr Clark s Had Frank Bennett s gun Took it from Frank s house muzzle loader Went to Frank s house and dressed in his clothes Took his gun and loaded it Did not know Frank came in and got my gun till I came back Frank Bennett s gun was ready to be fired Think he shot at a mark Saw some book straps in the orchard five or six I think Think Frank Bennett picked them up Was not with him when he found the trunk Went out afterwards Helped get it in Think he put the straps on the trunk Think he went back next morning to see if any money or papers had been dropped Did not observe how the windows were fastened

CROSS EXAMINED

I sold a farm which I owned in New Hampshire and brought the money with me Sold it to Albra Sumner Sold it for $1,000—$200 in cash and balance in note and mortgage Sold the note to my mother Came here about September 1st Was married October 24th I brought the money from New Hampshire Went back there after I was married Went to Henniker and stopped about a month Think I gave my wife the money while on our wedding trip

Mr Powers said he had no more evidence to offer

The Court asked Mr Powers if he had anything to say He said he had nothing

Mr Appleton said he had nothing to say

JUDGE BRETT FINDS PROBABLE CAUSE

Judge Brett said The Court finds from the evidence which has been presented that the offense committed is without doubt more heinous than is charged in the warrant, and that the prisoners shall be held to recognize for their appearance before the grand jury at the February term of Court He asked if counsel had anything to say as to amount of bonds

Mr Powers had nothing to say

HEAVY BONDS DEMANDED

Mr Appleton said he thought it had been shown that the crime which had been committed by the prisoners at the bar was one of the most heinous, cowardly and dastardly ever committed in Penobscot county An old man was sleeping quietly in his bed when he was set upon by these robbers and blows fell thick and fast upon his head These men had not only come there intent upon burglary, but willing, if the case demanded it, to add to the crime of burglary that of murder It was a crime which under the laws of the State is punishable by imprisonment for life Formerly the law made it punishable by death, and no bail would be ample to stand in the place of the men who committed it All the circumstances of the crime, the blows which had been struck and the weapon by which they were struck, demand that the amount of bonds should be heavy A large sum of money had been taken, $30,000, and he should ask that the prisoners be held in double the sum which Peter Bennett had lost

HELD IN $60 000 EACH

The Court said that the request of the prosecuting attorney was a most proper one, and that the circumstances and nature of the case demaded that the bonds should be the heaviest which could be imposed As the amount of money which had been lost had been placed at $30,000, he should order the prisoners to each furnish bonds to the amount of $60,000, and in default thereof to be committed

The order of the Court was received with much satisfaction by the large number of persons who crowded the court room. Whitney appeared much agitated and nervous, but Foster exhibited the same cool and nonchalant air which has characterized him throughout the whole time since his arrest.

Miss Lillian Munger, a graduate of the Bangor High School and a former teacher in the Farmington Normal School, sailed from New York on the 17th inst, in the Cunard steamer Pavonia for Europe, where she will remain until June, passing the time in London, Paris, Rome and Florence. She goes in company with and as the private instructor of a young lady from Boston.

DEATH OF GOVERNOR BODWELL.

General Order from Brig Gen Mitchell

The news of the death of Governor Bodwell, which was received yesterday morning and announced by a bulletin from the WHIG office, was received with a feeling of profound sadness by all our citizens, who held him in the highest esteem, not only as Chief Magistrate of the State, but as a man in the truest sense and a most enterprising promoter of the business of our State The news following so quickly upon the reports of the apparent improvement in his health, came with all the more suddenness and was therefore a greater shock to the community Brigadier General Mitchell yesterday issued the following General Order to his command

HEADQUARTERS FIRST BRIGADE
MAINE VOLUNTEER MILITIA
Bangor Dec 15th 1887

GENERAL ORDERS NO 5

1 It is the painful duty of the General Commanding, to announce to the officers and men in this Command, the death of the Commander in Chief, Hon Joseph R Bodwell, Governor of Maine who died at his residence in Hallowell this morning the 15th inst, after a brief illness

It would be superfluous for the General Commanding to pronounce an eulogium upon the life and character of our late respected and honored Commander in Chief His life s labors that are so well known to his fellow men, constitute a monument to his purity and kindness of heart his integrity, energy and ability that far surpasses anything that can be written in his praise

In the death of the Commander in Chief the State has lost an able Governor, an upright business man and the service to which you belong has lost a true and devoted friend and supporter

2 As a token of respect to the memory of the Commander in-Chief the officers in this command will wear the usual badge of mourning and all colors will be draped for the next thirty days

3 Regimental, Battery and Company Commanders are charged with the execution of this order

By Command of
BRIGADIER GENERAL MITCHELL
CLARENCE S LUNT
Major and Ass t Adj t Gen l

CENTRAL CLUB LECTURES

Mr Towle s Lecture on Gladstone Last Evening

The lecture last evening at the Central Church was in spite of the unpleasant weather largely attended by an intelligent and attentive audience The speaker of the evening Mr William Makepeace Towle of Boston was introduced by J C Clark Esq and proceeded in a graceful easy manner with an eloquent instructive dissertation upon the personal character and public services of the great English Premier William Evarts Gladstone

Mr Gladstone was the son of a Liverpool merchant and from his earliest youth seems so have been more or less interested in the political affairs of his country Graduating from Oxford with the highest honors and fired with the loftiest ambitions he threw himself heart and soul into politics At first a Tory of the strictest type he made Wellington and Peel his heroes and as a follower of the latter statesman s policy he was soon the acknowledged leader of his party in the House of Commons where his persuasive eloquence his unquestioned honesty of thought and purpose and his enthusiasm, which carried all before it made him a foe to be feared and a pillar of strength to his friends

Emerson has said that consistency is a deadly foe to progress and the great Englishman has been wise and just enough to see the force of this saying Gradually as his mind and knowledge of men and government expanded the clear justice loving brain and kindly heart forced him into attitudes inconsistant with his character as a Tory leader and in the Bill for the repeal of the Corn Laws he threw all his strength openly and without reserve into the scale of the Liberalists and soon after succeeded Palmerston as Prime Minister of England

For the fifty five years that he has been one of the great motive powers in the governmental machinery, his one great end and aim has been to lighten the burdens and help uplift the masses of the people By the repeal of the duty on paper he has made literature so cheap that even the laboring man may enjoy his daily newspaper, if he will, he has lightened in many ways the burden of taxation under which the English masses groan, he has flung wide open the gates of the great national colleges, so that students of all creeds and classes may enter in, and by his agreement to the Geneva award he has continued friendly relations between his country and ours But his greatest and noblest work is his endeavor to establish home rule in Ireland, and for this that oppressed and wretched nation will forever bless his name Now, at the advanced age of seventy seven, the brave old statesman is still hale and hearty and quite as ready to measure weapons with the foes of reform as he was half a century ago

The next lecture, by the same speaker, will be on this (Friday) evening and the subject will be the great rival of the Liberal party and its leader Lord Beaconsfield

OBITUARY

Mrs Eliza E wife of Ormil Rogers Esq, of Upper Stillwater died at their home at four o'clock Monday morning, in the seventy third year of her age

Mrs Rogers was one of the nine children of Dea Benjamin and Mary Woodman of Burlington of whom only two remain—Mr Luther C Woodman of California and Mr Charles Woodman, of this city She was married and moved to the village of Upper Stillwater in 1839 where the whole period of her married life was spent She was the mother of seven children, three of whom survive her Mr Charles E Rogers, of Lagrange, Mrs Ieee Woodard, of Upper Stillwater, and Mr Luther W Rogers, of Waterville She was also a true mother to the late Mrs Rachel E Howe a daughter of Mr Rogers by his first wife

For nearly fifty years the character and active energies of this Christian woman have shed invaluable influence on life at Stillwater In the home where her pure, faithful Christian spirit has directed and moulded as only that of a true wife and mother can in the community where every good cause found in her a friend and one who by precept, and example and silent influence ever wrought to keep pure and elevated the tone of social life about her, and in the church where her faith and prayers and labors knew no faltering, as well as through distant and scattered groups of her acquaintance and kindred, Mrs Rogers made her influence sacred and her life precious.

In 1859 she was one of the number organized into the Congregational church of Upper Stillwater, and of this church she was a member at the time of her death. Though her last few years have been years of feebleness and retirement, her death awakens in the community a sense of the great loss accompanying the removal from this world of so good a woman.

Funeral services were attended Wednesday at the house by a large concourse of friends, Rev. Mr. Wathen, of Orono, officiating in a very appreciative and consoling manner.

WEDDINGS YESTERDAY

Webster-Bartlett.

The residence of Mr William A Bartlett on Fifth street was the scene of a very pleasant wedding yesterday afternoon at four o clock, when his daughter, Miss Blanche Maud Bartlett was united in marriage with Mr James Herbert Webster of Orono There was a large attendance of the relatives and friends of the contracting parties among them being a number from other cities, and the presents were numerous and very beautiful The officiating clergyman was Rev G W Field who performed the ceremony very pleasantly Mr Webster is a well known and rising young business man of Orono and has a large circle of friends at his home in this city and other places The bride is an accomplished and very attractive young lady whose engaging manners and disposition have made her many friends The happy couple left on last evening s Pullman train for an extended wedding tour to Boston New York Philadelphia and Chicago The best wishes of their many friends for a happy married life are extended them

Stubbs Quinby

A very pleasant wedding occurred last evening at the residence of Mr Samuel F Quinby on Pine street the contracting parties being Mr Marston R Stubbs and Miss Susie M Quinby both of this city Only the immediate relatives and friends of the bride and bridegroom were present and the event though quiet was very pleasant Rev G W Field D D performed the marriage ceremony in the usual happy manner The large number of costly presents testified to the esteem in which Mr and Mrs Stubbs are held Mr Stubbs is a member of the composing force of the WHIG and has made many friends by his pleasant manners The bride is a young lady who is very highly esteemed Mr and Mrs Stubbs will reside in this city and their friends will wish them the best happiness in their married life

AMUSEMENTS

The Duke s Daughter and The Rough Diamond

The Opera House contained a fair sized audience last night upon the occasion of the presentation of The Duke s Daughter which was given in an excellent manner and caused the best of satisfaction Many of the parts require strong acting and this was not wanting as the play was made very effective through it The farce The Rough Diamond followed the former play and it was given with a spirit that brought out its amusing situations to the best effect The play to night will be Lost in London

Our Own Folks and Other Folks

Mr H W [illegible] of [illegible] was at the Penobscot Exchange yesterday

[illegible] Herry D [illegible] lock of Guilford [illegible] the city yesterday

Mr William Walker [illegible] of Ellsworth were at the [illegible] Exchange yesterday

Mr [illegible] C Atkinson [illegible] of the Atkinson House Furnishing [illegible] the city

M A C Crum wife [illegible] of Orono left last night for [illegible] in the future

Mr A [illegible] Harvey traveling [illegible] agent of the Milwaukee [illegible] the city [illegible]

Hon O [illegible] of [illegible] borough [illegible] his daughter Mrs Frank D [illegible]

Mr Charles F M [illegible] of Montreal district passenger agent of the Canadian Pacific Railroad was in the city yesterday

Mr C C Bedlow Assistant Superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Company was in the city yesterday on business

New Advertisements

Robinson s Drug Store is carrying a full line of beautiful toilet sets gentlemen s dressings cases manicure sets and imported toilet bottles

Winterport sweet corn at Charles York & Co s

Steamer Caroline Miller will leave New York for this city to-day and will leave here for New York Tuesday next

See notice of appointment of assignee

Stuart Brothers carry a full line of artists materials pictures mouldings frames and Christmas goods

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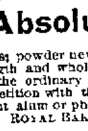

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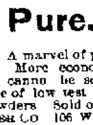

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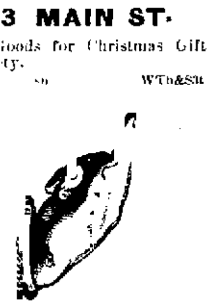

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Dissolution.

The copartnership heretofore existing between Charles J. Small and Henry F. Andrews, both of Bangor, under the name and style of Small & Andrews, is dissolved by mutual consent; and Henry F. Andrews has assigned to Charles J. Small, all his interest in all notes and accounts due said firm, and said Small is authorized to collect and receipt for the same.

C. J. SMALL,
H. F. ANDREWS.

Bangor, Dec. 14th, 1887.
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Notice of Petition for Discharge.

STATE OF MAINE.

PENOBSCOT, SS. Court of Insolvency.

In the case of S. D. Parker, Insolvent Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has, on this sixth day of December, A. D. 1887, been presented to said Court for said County by S. D. Parker, of Corinna, in the County of Penobscot, praying that he may be decreed to have a full discharge from all his debts, provable under the provisions of chapter seventy of the Revised Statutes of Maine, and the amendments thereof, and upon said petition, It is Ordered by said Court that a hearing be had upon the same before said Court, at the Probate Court Room, in Bangor, in said County of Penobscot, on Wednesday, the twenty-first day of December, A. D. 1887, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Bangor Daily Whig and Courier, a newspaper published in said County of Penobscot, once a week for two successive weeks—the last publication to be four days at least before the day of hearing; and that all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons interested, may appear at said place and time, and show cause, if any they have, why a discharge should not be granted said debtor according to the prayer of his petition.

Attest: AMBROSE C. FLINT,
Register of said Court for said County of Penobscot
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A CHRISTMAS STORY.

The Misadventures of John Nicholson.

By ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON.

CHAPTER I.

IN WHICH JOHN SOWS THE WIND.

John Varey Nicholson was stupid; yet, stupider men than he are now sprawling in parliament, and lauding themselves as the authors of their own distinction. He was of a fat habit, even from boyhood, and inclined to a cheerful and cursory reading of the face of life; and possibly this attitude of mind was the original cause of his misfortunes. Beyond this hint philosophy is silent on his career, and superstition steps in with the more ready explanation that he was detested of the gods.

His father—that iron gentleman—had long ago enthroned himself on the heights of the Disruption Principles. What these are (and in spite of their grim name they are quite innocent) no array of terms would render thinkable to the merely English intelligence; but to the Scot they often prove unctuously nourishing, and Mr. Nicholson found in them the milk of lions. About the period when the churches convene at Edinburgh in their annual assemblies, he was to be seen descending the mound in the company of divers red headed clergymen; these voluble, he only contributing oracular nods, brief negatives, and the austere spectacle of his stretched upper lip. The names of Candlish and Begg were frequent in these interviews, and occasionally the talk ran on the residuary establishment and the doings of one Lee. A stranger to the tight little theological kingdom of Scotland might have listened and gathered literally nothing. And Mr. Nicholson (who was not a dull man) knew this, and raged at it. He knew there was a vast world outside, to whom disruption principles were as the clatter of tree top apes; the paper brought him chill whiffs from it; he had met Englishmen who had asked lightly if he did not belong to the Church of Scotland, and then had failed to be much interested by his elucidation of that nice point; it was an evil, wild, rebellious world, lying sunk in dozenedness, for nothing short of a Scot's word will paint this Scotsman's feelings. And when he entered into his own house in Randolph Crescent (south side), and shut the door behind him, his heart swelled with security. Here, at least, was a citadel impregnable by right hand defections or left hand extremes. Here was a family where prayers came at the same hour, where the Sabbath literature was unimpeachably selected, where the guest who should have leaned to any false opinion was instantly set down, and over which there reigned all week, and grew denser on Sundays, a silence that was agreeable to his ear, and a gloom that he found comfortable.

Mrs. Nicholson had died about thirty, and left him with three children—a daughter two years, and a son about eight years younger than John; and John himself, the unlucky bearer of a name infamous in English history. The daughter, Maria, was a good girl—dutiful, pious, dull, but so easily startled that to speak to her was quite a perilous enterprise. "I don't think I care to talk about that, if you please," she would say, and strike the boldest speechless by her unmistakable pain; this upon all topics—dress, pleasure, morality, politics, in which the formula was changed to "my papa thinks otherwise," and even religion, unless it was approached with a particular whining tone of voice. Alexander, the younger brother, was sickly, clever, fond of books and drawing, and full of satirical remarks. In the midst of these, imagine that natural, clumsy, unintelligent and mirthful animal, John; mighty well behaved in comparison with other lads, although not up to the mark of the house in Randolph Crescent; full of a sort of blundering affection, full of caresses which were never very warmly received; full of sudden and loud laughter which rang out in that still house like curses. Mr. Nicholson himself had a great fund of humor, of the Scots order—intellectual, turning on the observation of men; his own character, for instance—if he could have seen it in another—would have been a rare feast to him; but his son's empty guffaws over a broken plate, and empty, almost light hearted remarks, struck him with pain as the indices of a weak mind.

Outside the family John had early attached himself (much as a dog may follow a marquis) to the steps of Alan Houston, a lad about a year older than himself, idle, a trifle wild, the heir to a good estate which was still in the hands of a rigorous trustee, and so royally content with himself that he took John's devotion as a thing of course. The intimacy was gall to Mr. Nicholson; it took his son from the house, and he was a jealous parent; it kept him from the office, and he was a martinet; lastly, Mr. Nicholson was ambitious for his family (in which, and the Disruption Principles, he entirely lived), and he hated to see a son of his play second fiddle to an idler. After some hesitation, he ordered that the friendship should cease—an unfair command, though seemingly inspired by the spirit of prophecy; and John, saying nothing, continued to disobey the order under the rose.

John was nearly 19 when he was one day dismissed rather earlier than usual from his father's office, where he was studying the practice of the law. It was Saturday; and except that he had a matter of £400 in his pocket which it was his duty to hand over to the British Linen Company's bank, he had the whole afternoon at his disposal. He went by Prince's street enjoying the mild sunshine, and the little thrill of easterly wind that tossed the flags along that terrace of palaces, and tumbled the green trees in the garden. The band was playing down in the valley under the castle; and when it came to the turn of the pipers, he heard their wild sounds with a stirring of the blood. Something distantly martial woke in him; and he thought of Miss Mackenzie, whom he was to meet that day at dinner.

Now, it is undeniable that he should have gone directly to the bank, but right in the way stood the billiard room of the hotel where Alan was almost certain to be found, and the temptation proved too strong. He entered the billiard room and was instantly greeted by his friend, cue in hand.

"Nicholson," said he, "I want you to lend me a pound or two till Monday."

"You've come to the right shop, haven't you?" returned John. "I have twopence."

"Nonsense," said Alan. "You can get some. Go and borrow at your tailor's; they all do it. Or I'll tell you what: pop your watch."

"Oh, yes, I dare say," said John. "And how about my father?"

"How is he to know? He doesn't wind it up for you at night, does he?" inquired Alan, at which John guffawed. "No, seriously; I am in a fix," continued the tempter. "I have lost some money to a man here. I'll give it you to-night, and you can get the heirloom out again on Monday. Come; it's a small service, after all. I would do a good deal more for you."

Whereupon John went forth, and pawned his gold watch under the assumed name of John Froggs, 85 Pleasance. But the nervousness that assailed him at the door of that inglorious haunt—a pawnshop—and the effort necessary to invent the pseudonym (which, somehow, seemed to him a necessary part of the procedure), had taken more time than he imagined; and when he returned to the billiard room with the spoils, the bank had already closed its doors.

This was a shrewd knock. "A piece of business had been neglected." He heard these word's in his father's trenchant voice, and trembled, and then dodged the thought. After all, who was to know? He must carry £400 about with him till Monday, when the neglect could be surreptitiously repaired; and meanwhile, he was free to pass the afternoon on the encircling divan of the billiard room, smoking his pipe, sipping a pint of ale, and enjoying to the mast head the modest pleasures of admiration.

None can admire like a young man. Of all youth's passions and pleasures, this is the most common and least alloyed; and every flash of Alan's black eyes; every aspect of his curly head; every graceful reach, every easy, stand off attitude of waiting; aye, and down to his shirt sleeves and wrist links, were seen by John through a luxurious glory. He valued himself by the possession of that royal friend, hugged himself upon the thought, and swam in warm azure; his own defects, like vanquished difficulties, becoming things on which to plume himself. Only when he thought of Miss Mackenzie there fell upon his mind a shadow of regret; that young lady was worthy of better things than plain John Nicholson, still known among schoolmates by the derisive name of "Fatty;" and he felt, if he could chalk a cue, or stand at ease, with such a careless grace as Alan, he could approach the object of his sentiments with a less crushing sense of inferiority.

Before they parted, Alan made a proposal that was startling in the extreme. He would be at Colette's that night (about 12, he said). Why should not John come there and get the money? To go to Colette's was [illegible] indeed; it was wrong; it was against the laws; it partook, in a very dingy manner, of adventure. Were it known, it was the sort of exploit that disconsidered a young man for good with the more serious classes, but gave him a standing with the riotous. And yet Colette's was not a hell; it could not come, without vaulting hyperbole, under the rubric of a gilded saloon; and, if it was a sin to go there, the sin was merely local and municipal. Colette (whose name I do not know how to spell, for I was never in epistolary communication with that hospitable outlaw) was simply an unlicensed publican, who gave suppers after 11 at night, the Edinburgh hour of closing. If you belonged to a club, you could get a much better supper at the same hour, and lose not a jot in public esteem. But if you lacked that qualification, and were an hungered, or inclined toward conviviality at unlawful hours, Colette's was your only port. You were very ill supplied. The company was not recruited from the senate or the church, though the bar was very well represented on the only occasion on which I flew in the face of my country's laws, and, taking my reputation in my hand, penetrated into the grim supperhouse. And Colette's frequenters, thrillingly conscious of wrong doing and "that two handed engine (the policeman) at the door," were perhaps inclined to somewhat feverish excess. But the place was in no sense a very bad one; and it is somewhat strange to me, at this distance of time, how it had acquired its dangerous reputa.

In precisely the same spirit as a man may debate a project to ascend the Matterhorn or to cross Africa, John considered Alan's proposal, and, greatly daring, accepted it. As he walked home, the thoughts of this excursion out of the safe places of life into the wild and arduous, stirred and struggled in his imagination with the image of Miss Mackenzie—incongruous and yet kindred thoughts, for did not each imply unusual tightening of the pegs of resolution? did not each woo him forth and warn him back again into himself?

Between these two considerations, at least, he was more than usually moved; and when he got to Randolph Crescent, he quite forgot the £400 in the inner pocket of his great coat, hung up the coat, with its rich freight, upon his particular pin of the hat stand; and in the very action sealed his doom.

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Executor's Notice.

The subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that he has been duly appointed and has taken upon himself the trust of, an Executor of the Last Will and Testament of

HOLLIS BOWMAN, late of Bangor,

in the County of Penobscot, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs. He therefore requests all persons who are indebted to the estate of said deceased, to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon, to present the same for settlement to him.

A. G. WAKEFIELD, Executor.

November 29, 1887. 3w dec5

MESSENGER'S NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF OF PENOBSCOT COUNTY
STATE OF MAINE.

Penobscot ss. December 8th, A. D. 1887.

This is to give notice that on the third day of December A. D. 1887, a warrant in insolvency was issued out of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot against the estate of Joseph L. Fessenden of Lincoln, in the County of Penobscot, adjudged to be an Insolvent debtor, on petition of said debtor, which petition was filed on the third day of December, A. D. 1887, to which date interest on claims is to be computed; That the payment of any debts to or by said debtor and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at the Probate Court Room at Bangor in said County of Penobscot, on Wednesday, the twenty-first day of December A. D., 1887, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written,

EDGAR W. STEVENS, Deputy Sheriff,
As Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Penobscot.
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To the Honorable Judge of Probate for the County of Penobscot.

The undersigned, Guardian of Eliza H. Starrett Green, an adult ward, of Bangor, in said County, respectfully represents that said ward is seized and possessed of the following described real estate, viz:

Situate in Bangor, in said County, to wit: beginning at a stake standing on the N. W. side of the Webster road, in said Bangor, being the east corner of the Chas. Lansil lot; thence N. 43° W. on said Lansil lot, 100 feet to a stake; thence N. 46° E. on land once of Barker, 50 feet to a stake; thence S. 43° E. on said Barker land 100 feet to a stake; thence south, 46° west on the N. W. side of Webster road, 50 feet to first bound,—containing 5,000 square feet, more or less. Also, another parcel of land in said Bangor, described in deeds recorded in Penobscot Registry for Deeds, Vol. 58, page 473, and in Vol. 74, pages 502 and 501, referred to for further description—with the buildings and improvements thereon, it being the same described in a deed recorded in the Registry of Deeds for said County, Volume 497, page 335.

That it would be for the benefit of said Ward that said Real Estate should be sold, and the proceeds thereof put out at interest, or otherwise used for her benefit.

He therefore prays that License may be granted him to sell and convey the above described Real Estate at public or private sale, according to the requirement of Law.

ZEBULON GROVER.

November 28th, 1887.

—STATE OF MAINE—

PENOBSCOT, SS. COURT OF PROBATE, November Term, A. D. 1887.

Upon the foregoing petition, *Ordered*, That said petitioner give public notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of the petition and this order thereon, to be published three weeks successively in the Bangor Daily Whig & Courier, a newspaper published in Bangor, in said County, that they may appear at a Court of Probate for said County, to be held at the Probate Office in said Bangor, on the last Tuesday in December next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should be granted.

JAMES H. BURGESS, Judge.

Attest:—AMBROSE C. FLINT, Register.

A true copy of the petition and order thereon.

Attest:—AMBROSE C. FLINT, Register.

dec3 3w

First National Bank of Bangor.

The Stockholders of the First National Bank of Bangor, are notified that their annual meeting will be held at their Banking Rooms, on Tuesday, the tenth day of January next, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the choice of Directors and for such other business as may legally come before them.

E. G. WYMAN, Cashier.

Bangor, Dec. 8th, 1767.

Veazie National Bank of Bangor.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Bank, will be held at their Banking Room, Tuesday, the tenth day of January next, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the choice of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may legally come before them. WM. C. HOLT, Cashier.

Bangor, Dec. 10th, 1887.

Merchants National Bank.

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Nut Cracks,
Nut Bowls,

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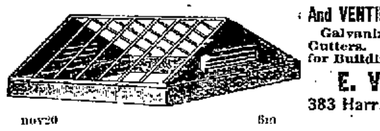

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IMPRISONED IN CUBA.

PART I.

THE MYSTERIOUS PACKAGE.

There is not a class of men in the world who possess such a horror of police and prisons, and regard with such veneration and respect the law and its oftentimes mysterious workings as "those who go down to the sea in ships," and although they often find themselves "fouled" in its meshes, it is generally due to accident, or the machinations of some "land shark;" or perhaps, in dealing with unprincipled people "along shore," the sailor may be unwittingly caught in the net spread to ensnare him.

Although the mariner may be a veritable giant when upon the broad, trackless ocean, he is a mere child if placed among men who have received their training upon terra firma; and the simplicity of the sailor is often the cause of his being arraigned before the bar of justice.

It is very seldom that one will find a seaman deliberately committing a deed which will lay himself liable to arrest, and when such a case is met with it will almost invariably be found that the act was done to assist a friend or shield a comrade from the consequences of some misdeed.

A few years ago, shortly after the capture of Capt. Frye and crew of the American steamer Virginius, and the subsequent execution of a part of the same by the Cuban authorities, I became entangled with the Spanish soldiers of the beautiful tropic isle of Cuba, and my acquaintance with them came very near putting an end to my voyage of life.

I was a master of a trim little bark sailing from Boston and engaged in the West India trade.

One evening while the vessel was lying at a wharf in the latter port, where she was receiving cargo for Matanzas, I was sitting upon the quarter rail enjoying an after supper smoke when I observed a young man of perhaps 25 years of age coming down the dock very leisurely.

As he got abreast of where I was seated he stopped and with a very affable smile bade me "good evening" and then inquired if we were not bound to the West Indies. Assuring him that we were, he stepped aboard, remarking that he belonged in Cuba and was looking for a vessel in which to take passage.

I rather liked the appearance of the stranger, and seeing a chance to make a few dollars for my owners by taking a passenger, as we had plenty of room in the cabin, I offered to take him and we soon agreed upon terms, the stranger promising to give me fifty dollars in the morning for his passage to the island.

The following day, while sipping coffee in company with the mate, I was surprised to see our prospective passenger with a small valise in hand hurrying down the wharf.

There was no one about, as the hour was quite early.

He stepped quickly on board, and with the utmost politeness bid me a very "Good morning." After partaking of a cup of coffee with us I invited him below and showed him the room he was to occupy during the passage.

He was very well satisfied with the accommodations, and taking out a well filled wallet he paid me the price agreed upon, then and there.

"This bag," he remarked, indicating the small sachel in his hand, "contains some articles of value, and I should be well pleased if you would take care of it for me until we reach Matanzas."

Of course I was perfectly willing to accommodate him, and took the bag; he then went ashore, promising to be on board in the evening, as we were going to sea the following morning.

When left alone I turned my attention to the bag, which was still in my hand; it was small and neat, and, I judged, quite an expensive affair.

Turning it over I observed an address painted in white letters upon the bottom; it read: "Senor Roderiquez Gonzalez, 13 Plaza di Poco, Matanzas, Cuba."

The Plaza di Poco I knew quite well, as I had been many times to Matanzas and had roamed considerably about the city.

It was a pleasant little open square, surrounded by the homes of the middle class, most of whom were native born Cubans.

However, I had not not much time to spend with the bag, so I threw it into my bunk and closed and locked the stateroom door before going ashore.

A master of a vessel is always very busy on the day before sailing, as there is sure to be a great deal of business to attend to, and my passenger never entered my mind but once, and that was when I went to "clear" at the custom house.

It was quite late when I returned to the vessel, and on entering my room the presence of the bag reminded me of the Cuban, so calling the mate I inquired if the stranger had yet come aboard.

"No, sir, I've seen nothing of him," was the officer's reply.

In the morning everything was bustling and active. The crew were aboard and the towboat alongside shortly after daylight, but nothing had yet been seen of our passenger.

The pilot and the captain of the tug were anxious to start, but I was bound to wait until the last moment to give the young fellow a chance.

Soon our overtaxed patience was rewarded. A hack dashed down the wharf and drew up at the vessel's side.

It was not the Cuban who alighted, however, but a telegraph boy waving a dispatch in his hand and calling for "Capt. Graham, bark Rambler."

"Here, boy, here!" I cried, jumping into the mizzen channels to reach the message, which I quickly tore open and read:

"Capt. Graham, bark Rambler, Constitution wharf, Boston.

"Through unforeseen circumstances it will be impossible for me to make the passage with you. Please deliver the little bag I left to the address upon it, and retain the money I paid you for your trouble. GONZALEZ."

Hastily thrusting the bit of paper into my pocket, I called to the pilot, "All right, pilot, let her go"—and in a few moments we were heading down the harbor, the tow-boat puffing away alongside, while the crew were rapidly spreading the white canvas to catch the strong westerly wind that was to give us a good start upon our voyage, and, as may be supposed, there was no thought of the Cuban left behind.

The passage down to the island was without event and we came to anchor in Mantanzas after a run of eighteen days.

We were, of course, boarded by the full force of Cuban officials—revenue, military and naval—and after a close scrutiny of our papers and a rigid search of the bark I was allowed to go ashore to report to the consignees and "enter" the vessel.

I had not thought it necessary to inform the customs authorities of the Cuban's trust, as I felt assured that I could any time during our stay in port deliver it to the address and no one would be the wiser.

It is true that the officers looked at me very queerly when I explained the absence of the passenger whose name was on the manifest, but [illegible]

were more closely watched than they had ever before been; they even went so far as to place, beside the regular custom house officer, a soldier of the army on board the vessel.

This strict surveillance did not at all please me, and I was now determined to deliver the bag to No. 13 Plaza di Poco in spite of all the Spaniards on the island.

I fully realized that it would be no easy matter to get the bag out of the vessel without the officers detecting me, although it was but a small parcel.

I watched my chance, however, and one day it came.

Several American captains, whose vessels were in port, had made up a party to visit the renowned Crystal cave, that lies upon the eastern side of the Bay of Matanzas. Of course each one must carry some refreshments for themselves and their boat's crew, and here I saw an opportunity to smuggle the bag ashore.

Accordingly, the night before the picnic, I spoke to the officers over a glass of brandy which I put out for their special benefit, and requested permission to take some eatables ashore the next day.

They gave their consent without hesitation, and I at once called the steward to pack up his "dog basket" with provisions and drinkables, and purposely had him make a display of doing this before the officials, as I wanted them to see everything that went into the basket.

After it was full we left it on the cabin table ready for the morning, as we were to start by daylight.

Along the middle of the night, when I was sure that everything was quiet, I turned out, and, securing the basket, hurried back to my room, where I removed some of the food and put the Cuban's bag in its stead and again returned the basket to the cabin table.

All the time I could hear the footsteps of the officer who was on watch pacing the deck overhead, but as there was no light in the cabin I had no fear of being detected.

In the morning everything worked as I had expected; I went over into the boat in which were two of my men, and the steward handed down the basket; waving an adieu to the officers we pulled away across the bay.

When well over to the eastern shore I took the bag out of the basket and changed the course of the boat so as to land on the outskirts of the city.

Reaching the shore I instructed my men to pull for the cave where they would meet the other captains and deliver the basket to them, and say that "business had called me to town, but I would join them some time during the day."

A few minutes later I was seated in a volante (Cuban carriage) and was being driven slowly (a Cuban team will never travel fast) in the direction of the Plaza di Poco.

Turning into the square, in the center of which were growing rare and beautiful plants, I observed several policemen and Spanish soldiers lounging about, but as one cannot take fifty steps in any Cuban city without meeting one or more of these servants of the crown, I paid but little attention to their presence.

I, however, ordered the carriage to stop several doors from the house of which I was in search, and, after dismissing the driver, I proceeded on foot.

Number thirteen differed little from its neighbors save an unusual air of quiet by which it seemed to be surrounded; it had the same large iron gateway leading into the inclosed area peculiar to all Cuban houses; the same long, barred, open windows, but, like the majority, these were furnished with close blinds, which effectually precluded the passerby from obtaining the slightest glimpse of the interior of the dwelling.

Approaching the gate I rapped loudly with the ponderous knocker and my summons was quickly answered by an old man who took in my whole dimensions before dropping the fastenings of the gate, and then not until I had repeated the name of Roderiquez Gonzalez, 13 Plaza di Poco, several times.

Finally, appearing satisfied that I had a right to call, he opened the gate just far enough for me to squeeze in, and then, after again securing the fastenings, he led the way across a paved court, in the center of which was playing a miniature fountain, into a large, cool room, and from thence into another which was quite dark, but as my eyes became accustomed to the gloom I could see that it was a chamber nicely furnished, and upon a couch in the middle of the apartment was the outline of a recumbent form which started up at our approach.

My guide spoke a few words in Spanish and then retired, while the person upon the couch arose and, throwing open one of the blinds, allowed a stream of light to enter the apartment, and by its aid I could see that I was in the presence of a fine looking gentleman somewhat past the meridian of life but with a tall figure still erect and with eyes that flashed out brightly from beneath a pair of gray brows.

Turning he addressed me in his native tongue, only a few words of which I could understand, but by those few I knew he bade me welcome and inquired the object of my visit.

I replied in English, asking if I had the pleasure of speaking to Senor Roderiquez Gonzalez.

"I am he," he returned in English, which had but a slight accent. "In what can I serve you?"

Before I could respond his eyes fell upon the bag. Instantly his whole manner changed. Involuntary he sprang forward and reached out his hand as if to grasp it, and then collecting himself he looked searchingly into my face.

"That bag—where did you get it?" he exclaimed, impetuously, but in a low, subdued voice.

"It is yours," I replied, handing him the sachel; "at least this is the place where I was instructed to leave it."

If the bag had contained the riches of Golconda he could not have received it more eagerly.

"Excuse me a moment, but remain here," and with that he hurriely left the apartment.

He might have been gone perhaps ten minutes when he returned, and approaching the window closed the blind, which left us in total darkness, then drawing a chair close to mine, he inquired eagerly as to how the bag had come in my possession.

I gave him the whole story, described the young Cuban, and showed him the message which I had received the morning of sailing.

"My boy, my boy," he murmured, and several times during the recital he broke in upon me as though he was about to tell me something, but would then quickly check himself.

At the close of my narrative I arose to go, when the strange old man requested me to be seated a few minutes longer, and then again left the room.

To say that I was surprised at his manner does not express it. There was certainly something very mysterious in it all, and I was half tempted to sneak out of the house like a thief, so wrought up were my feelings, when my host again entered.

"Captain," he began, "you have rendered a service, the value of which you may never know, and thousands yet unborn will bless you for it. It is impossible for me to repay you for all the risk you have run, but take this"—thrusting a packet into my hand—"as a slight memento of my gratitude. I should invite you to renew this call upon me, but it would be dangerous to us both; even this may do you injury, though I trust not," and pressing my hand he unceremoniously pushed me before him through a series of hallways and rooms to a rear entrance and left me bewildered upon the street with the package in my hand which I had not had the presence of mind to refuse.

For a moment I stood still, not knowing exactly which way to turn, and feeling that I had undoubtedly escaped from a call upon a lunatic, when I was startled by the exclamation:

"Buenos dios, senor!" and looking up recognized the features of an army officer who had frequently been loitering around the ship chandler's, the custom house and other places about the water front where my business called me.

His appearance recalled me to my senses, and awkwardly answering the salutation, I turned on my heel and hurried away nor stopped for anything until seated in a boat and being pulled off to my vessel and did not breathe easy until I stepped over the rail to the deck, and even then a glance at the [illegible]

Hurrying through the cabin I entered my own room, closed the door and broke open the package and to my surprise out fell several United States bank bills.

PART II.

THE ARREST.

I gathered the money up, and it counted just $250; then I sat down and pondered. Surely the contents of the bag must have been of great value to have called forth such a present, but the more I tried to explain the affair to myself, the more I was puzzled.

The day wore slowly away; at sundown the boat returned bringing word that the other captains were disappointed at my not being with them.

At an early hour I sought my bed in anything but a tranquil frame of mind, for I knew that should the authorities discover that I had carried the bag ashore and left it, no matter what the contents might be, it would go hard with me, for the Spaniard of the West Indies has little love for the American, and is only too well pleased to catch one tripping.

It might have been midnight when I was awakened from a troubled sleep by the sound of a boat bumping alongside and the voices of strangers on deck. At length several men came down the forward companion way, but they were met by the mate, who refused them admission to the cabin. They then began loudly calling for the captain.

I trembled, I'll admit it; but there was no alternative, I must face them. So hurrying on my clothing I came out into the cabin and met the officers.

"We must take you ashore, captain," remarked one of the soldiers in English.

"For what?" I demanded.

"That the captain will learn when we reach there"—was the only satisfaction that I got, and unceremoniously they bustled me out of the vessel and away—but not before I had a chance to tell my mate to inform the American consul early in the morning of what had taken place.

On leaving the bark I was surprised to see that they did not take the course for the city, but kept away to the westward.

"Where are you taking me?" I inquired, in dismay.

"See, bimeby," was the only answer, and I held my peace.

Soon the dark outlines of the shore arose before me, but the formation of the outline as it broke upon my view caused a shudder to creep over me and almost froze the blood in my veins.

It was the fort that we were approaching, and the sharp angles and lofty turrets stood out grim and threatening against the star lit sky in the west.

All the tales that I had ever read of the Spanish inquisition and the manner in which they administer justice (?) in Cuba rushed to my mind, and again the fate of poor Capt. Frye was still fresh in my memory.

Still I was sure that they could only punish me with a fine for smuggling the bag ashore; yet, suppose that the bag contained something of importance to the Cuban patriots? What if I had unwittingly been the bearer of valuable messages to the insurgents?

The thought almost unnerved me.

If it was so, and the government had found the packet, I could expect no better fate than fell to the lot of so many of the crew of the Virginius.

When the keel of the boat grated upon the coral rocks at the foot of a flight of stone steps, I was ordered to disembark, and between two soldiers with muskets, and preceded by an officer, the ascent was began up the damp, slimy stairs.

We had not taken many steps when we were hailed by a sentry, who was answered by the officer in whose charge I was—we then resumed our way; soon a bright light shone in our faces, and we could see an open door a little above us.

Through this door we passed and as it swung to again upon its massive hinges we found ourselves between two rows of soldiers with drawn swords; the apartment seemed to be a sort of guard room or keep.

A few moments after our entrance, during which time we had remained standing without a word being spoken, a door in the further end of the room opened and an officer, gayly bedecked with gold lace, entered and approaching our party took some papers from the soldier in charge and began to read them very carefully.

When he had finished he waved an adieu to those who had arrested me, and they at once turned and left the apartment by the same door through which we had entered.

Then, at the word of command, two soldiers stepped from the ranks and began to search my pockets and clothing, taking everything that they could find, even to my handkerchief.

I was next ordered to fall into line with the guard and was marched off through long, gloomy passageways, down flight after flight of damp, moldy steps; past strong iron doors which was easy enough for me to imagine were closed upon some poor mortals who were destined never again to breathe the pure air of heaven, but to lie entombed within this dismal pile of masonry until welcome death should release them from their suffering, perhaps years after their very names had been forgotten in their own homes.

Once I heard—or thought I heard—a low, distinct moan that seemed to rise from the stone flagging beneath our feet.

Narrower grew the passage as we advanced, and by the feeble rays of the single torch carried by one of the guard I could see numberless lizards, scorpions and other creeping reptiles scamper away at our approach.

At length, after a journey which seemed to have led me into the very bowels of the earth, we were halted before one of the numerous iron doors, which the officer unlocked and opened, and without further ceremony I was thrust into a small, damp, fetid cell, with bare stone walls, floor and roof.

By the light of the torch, which streamed into the apartment before the heavy door was swung to, I could see that it was entirely empty, save a countless number of those loathsome creatures which had darted across our pathway as we came down the corridor.

Oh, what a feeling of despair came over me when I found myself alone in total darkness, entombed in this loathsome, subterranean dungeon.

Slowly the remaining hours of the night wore away, giving me plenty of time to think over the incidents of the past few weeks and see if I had done anything to deserve such treatment.

Easy it was to trace my trouble to the strange youth who had formed my acquaintance in Boston, but I had committed no crime in delivering his effects to his family, save in the act of smuggling them ashore, and that in itself was a trivial offense.

The more my mind dwelt upon the matter, the more I was convinced that I had allowed myself to become a medium between the Cuban patriots and their sympathizers in the United States, and the information or whatever it was that I had delivered must have been of great importance to call forth such a reward from Gonzalez. Yes, there was no doubt but what I was in for it, and knowing the irascible temper of the Spaniards I felt that my death was well nigh certain.

After what seemed an age from the time of my commitment to the prison, a faint streak made its appearance upon one of the walls of my cell; it was the first break of day.

The small aperture through which the light struggled was only about five feet from the floor, and I could easily look out.

The slit was too narrow to allow a very extended range to my vision, but I could see that I was confined on the water side of the fort, and directly fronting the shipping. But this fact afforded me little consolation, for I felt sure that I should only leave this dreary dungeon to march to my death.

I was gazing wistfully out through the tiny aperture, when I heard the heavy bolt thrown back and the ponderous door swing open on its rusty hinges, and turning I was confronted by an officer and a file of soldiers armed with muskets. The officer, with drawn sword, stepped into the cell, and in a pompous manner ordered me to "fall in," and we took up our march through the tortuous passageways to the light of day above.

Issuing from the underground labyrinth of corridors we emerged into a spacious square, across which I was conducted and placed with my back against the stone face of a wall, while the soldiers were drawn up in [illegible]

table and some light camp stools, which they placed quite near me, but little to one side, and then retired; two of them almost immediately returned bearing that grim symbol of death, a coffin.

That my time had come I was certain, but I resolved to make a very vigorous protest against such summary measures, and called loudly for a hearing. But I might have saved my strength, for my protestations were not taken the slightest notice of.

Presently a number of officers appeared crossing the plaza, and to my unspeakable relief I recognized the American consul in their midst.

I was then to be granted the semblance of a trial at least.

The officials wasted no time in further ceremony, but seating themselves at the table began at once by one of their number reading the indictment, which was repeated in English by an interpreter, and which accused me of "aiding and abetting the Cuban insurgents, who were in arms against their lawful sovereign, the king of Spain, by delivering into the hands of one of the chiefs of the insurgents incendiary papers to incite the people of Cuba to further deeds of violence against the government, and also money to enable them to carry on a desultory warfare."

To have attempted to disguise anything or withhold any part of my share in the unfortunate affair I knew would be disastrous to my cause; so I told my story straightforward from beginning to end, and the consul, I saw, was faithfully translating it.

Several times, I afterward learned, the party employed as interpreter construed my language so as to make me appear much more guilty than I really was.

The fact that I had concealed the presence of the bag in my cabin from the officers, and then stealthily conveyed it ashore and delivered it to the address upon it, was a strong, very strong point against me, and it required all the eloquence of the consul to prove that I was ignorant of the contents of the bag.

"If the prisoner had been aware what was within the bag, would he have dared to have taken it to 13 Plaza di Poco in broad daylight, when the plaza is full of soldiers and members of the secret service?" asked my countryman and defender.

This argument bore weight. For some ten minutes the officers conversed apart, while the consul did his best to cheer me up.

When everything had been fixed apparently to their satisfaction an elderly soldier, one who seemed to be chief among my judges, arose and in a lengthy speech imposed my sentence.

"The court had found that I had been but an unwitting agent, and therefore was not wholly responsible, but inasmuch as I had surreptitiously conveyed the bag ashore I had thereby violated the customs rule and was consequently found guilty and ordered to pay a fine of $500 in gold, and to remain imprisoned within the fort at Matanzas until the sum was paid."

Oh, what a relief. I almost fainted on hearing the sentence, the reaction was so great!

As may be imagined it required but a few moments for the consul to give his bond for the amount, and I was a free man.

I had no desire to remain longer within the walls of the grim old fortress, after my release, and in company with my defender hurried out through a sally port which was opened for our egress, and as we were passing through, much to our surprise, the contents of my pockets (which had been taken from me the previous night), were returned to me.

Thus was ended my first and last tilt with the blind goddess, which far famed lady may be said to be doubly blind in the distant islands of the Antilles.

I afterward ascertained that the Spaniards had failed to secure the person of Senor Gonzalez as he had left the city the same day of my visit, but as I had been seen to enter his house with a bag and leave it without one, and as he was known to hold strong revolutionary principles the authorities thought it their duty to arrest me, thinking that I was at least a sympathizer, and that through fear of instant death I would reveal some secrets of the insurgents.

A Farmer's Institute will be held at Pine Grove Grange Hall, Brewer, Wednesday, Dec. 28th, 1887. Programme—10 A. M., opening exercises followed by a paper by D. W. Campbell, member from Washington County; 1.30 P. M., lecture by Hon. Elbridge Cushman, member of Massachusetts Board of Agriculture, subject: "Business Methods in Farming." Evening programme to be announced hereafter.

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TREASURES.

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And gladness hides her face in scorn,
Put thou the shadow from thy brow;
No night but hath its morn!

Have faith! Where'er thy bark is driven,
The calm's disport, the tempest's mirth,
Know this: God rules the hosts of heaven,
The inhabitants of earth.

Have love! Not love alone for one,
But man, as man, thy brother call,
And scatter, like the circling sun,
Thy charities on all.

Thus grave these lessons on thy soul—
Hope, faith and love—and thou shalt find
Strength when life's surges fiercest roll,
Light when thou else wert blind.
—Schiller.

The Shooting of Gen. Nelson.

Mr. Lincoln was much troubled when he learned that his "sailor dragoon," Gen. Nelson, had been shot by Gen. Davis in a hotel at Louisville. Gen. Nelson was over six feet in height, weighed over 250 pounds, and was notoriously strong, while Gen. Davis was a quiet little gentleman, who never troubled any one.

Senator Morton, with Gens. Nelson and Davis, were conversing together, when Nelson became excited and deliberately slapped Davis in the right cheek. Davis and Morton stepped back, and Morton gave Davis a pistol. Davis advanced toward Nelson, who was leaning against the bar, leveled the pistol and fired. At the puff of the revolver Nelson put his hand on his heart, and when the bystanders ran up they heard him say: "I'm a dead man. Send for an Episcopal clergyman."

His friends carried him into a little room under the stairs. They opened his clothes and found near the heart a little blue mark about the size of a buckshot, and that was all. The wound had closed; no blood was running; you would hardly notice that it was a wound. By good luck there was an Episcopal clergyman, a man with whom Nelson was intimate, in the house. He was sent for and came immediately, and when he entered the room all others withdrew. In about ten minutes we were told that Nelson was dead.

Quite a number came running up at the sound of the shot and among them a policeman, who arrested Davis. Davis went with him quietly, but upon Gen. Buell being informed of it he made a demand upon the mayor for the delivery of Davis to him, which, after a momentary hesitation, was done. No notice was taken of the affair. Everybody felt sorry that Nelson was killed, but they understood that Davis could not do anything else than what he did do. He had been struck, and if he hadn't resented it he would have been disgraced and compelled to leave the army. He could not resent it any other way.—Ben: Perley Poore in Boston Budget.

Limits of Human Senses.

The limited nature of the human senses, whereby we may fail to perceive an all pervading "second universe," has been greatly emphasized by the progress of science since Isaac Taylor reasoned from it in his "Physical Theory of Another Life" half a century ago. Improvement in spectroscopy and photography show that invisible rays extend as far beyond the violet end of the spectrum as the length of the spectrum itself, and indeed must continue until the vibrations "become infinitely rapid and infinitely small." Some of these ultra rays can be made visible by interposing a substance that lessens their refrangibility.

Professor Stokes, the physicist, found that when a tube filled with a solution of quinine sulphate was moved along the spectrum, "on arriving nearly at the violet extremity a ghostlike gleam of pale blue light shot across the tub; it did not cease until the tube had been moved far beyond the violet extremity of the spectrum visible on the screen." The wave lengths of the spectrum sun rays have been measured, and we perceive only those that are from about one forty to one sixty thousandth of an inch; to all others we are blind. So of sound; the human ear, practically, hears only those sounds that come from forty to 4,000 vibrations of the air per second, though the possible limit has been traced to near 40,000. The microphone reveals a new range of notes, and it is conceivable that this instrument, in connection with sympathetic and harmonic vibrations, may bring down to audibility still higher sources of sound. It is not affirmable that any construction of mortal eye and ear could disclose the supernal; but it is certain that there is very much visible that we don't know how to discern.—The Forum.

Rescue of the Shipwrecked.

A new plan for the rescue of shipwrecked sailors, which it is thought is a great improvement on the inventions now employed, has been proposed to Secretary Whitney by Rear Admiral Ammen. It consists of the construction of what is called a balsa, or a float. The rear admiral suggests the following method of launching them: "The head sail should be hoisted so as to bring the wind quarterly; oil bags would be thrown over from each quarter. The railing at the stern fitted for unshipping would be let down and the launching skids put in place and the balsa carried aft by eight men and lowered with four on it. Then a rough car to fit in the skids would be loaded with the helpless persons and lowered to the balsa, be received and placed, and the operation continued until the boat has her load, then she would be cast adrift, make a drag of her mast and sail, throw overboard her oil bag, and the same operation would be repeated until every one was embarked. Then they should fasten to each other in sections of fives." The balsa consists of two casks, upon which a platform is laid. In the casks are scuttles for stowing provisions. A sufficient number of them to carry a thousand people could, in the opinion of the rear admiral, be carried on a large steamer without inconvenience.—Chicago Times.

Plea for the Public Schools.

Criticise the public schools as we please, we are all obliged to own, after investigation, that they offer to every child who enters them certain advantages which no private wealth can buy. In our cities and large towns they are, to begin with, as clean as the decks and cabins of a man of war. Every child who enters them learns, so far as the school room influence goes, habits of neatness, method, decorum and punctuality—points of training hardly to be surpassed in their importance, not only for the mental, but for the moral nature. When I enter such a school room, and come upon fifty little people marching in procession to or from their seats, obedient to a wave of a finger from the resolute youth or maiden who has them in charge, and when I reflect that all across a continent, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, this same process is going on, then that modest teacher's work rises into sublimity, and seems one among innumerable shuttles that are together weaving the vast web of a new generation.—"T. W. H." in Harper's Bazar.

Old Lady (to a boy in drug store)—I have pains runnin' up and down my back and I guess you can give me a bottle of liniment.

Boy—Wot kind will you have?

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The King's Secretaire.

A secretaire which cost $175,000 was sold for $3,000, and this was a specimen of the sacrifice in the sale of the late king of Bavaria's goods and chattels. No monument has been raised to his memory. Two planks with a cross upon them mark the spot where the king was drowned.—New York Sun.

An enthusiastic materialist put a headstone over the grave of his wife in a cemetery at Nievre, France, upon which there is the following inscription: "Deprived of all vitality, here lie the remains of the material that formed Mme. Durand. No cards and no prayers."—Chicago News.

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Resolution of Respect.

The following resolutions of respect were unanimously adopted at the meeting of the Penobscot Farmers' Club, held at Stetson on December 9th:

Whereas, An allwise Providence has permitted the angel of death to take from the Penobscot Farmers' Club two of our respected members, Hebron Luce, of Bangor, and H. M. Smith, of Orrington, who were always at its meeting when their health and circumstances would admit, and the intelligent manner that they discussed the questions before the club always imparted useful information.

Resolved, That we the members of the club realize the loss we have met with, in the death of our respected brothers, and we tender our heartfelt sympathies to their bereaved families and friends in their affliction.

Resolved, That a copy be forwarded to their families [illegible] Maine Farmers, also entered on the records of the club.

Grange Meetings.

Maine State Grange—Annual meeting at Skowhegan, December 20—22, 1887.

Hancock County Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Verona Grange, Saturday, December 17.

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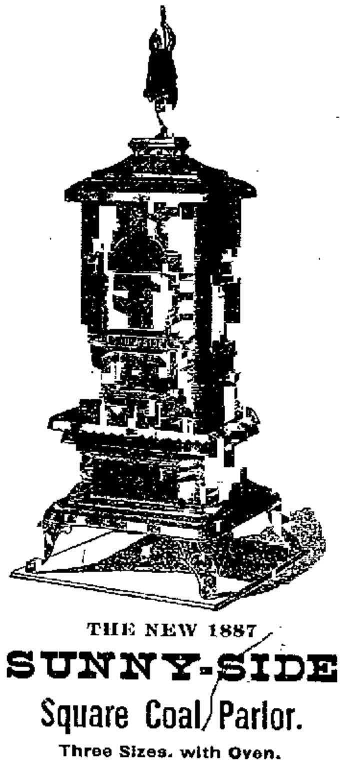

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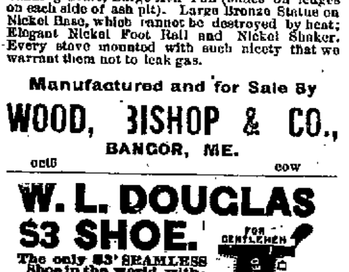

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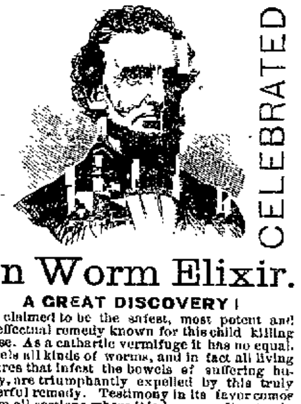

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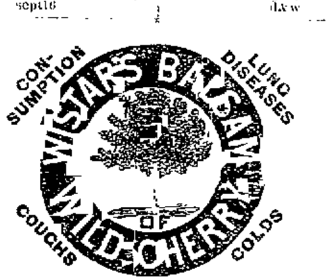

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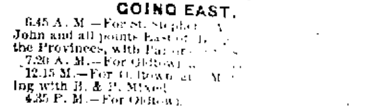

Maine Central Railroad
Arrangement of Trains
IN EFFECT OCTOBER 23, 1887

Until further notice trains leave [illegible]

GOING EAST.

6.45 A. M.—For St. Stephen, [illegible] John and all points East of [illegible] the Provinces, with Parlor [illegible]

7.20 A. M.—For Oldtown [illegible]

12.15 M.—For Oldtown [illegible] ing with B. & P. Mixed

4.35 P. M.—For Oldtown.

7.00 P. M.—Night express [illegible] Woodstock, Aroostook [illegible] sleeping car for St. John [illegible]

GOING WEST.

7.15 A. M.—For Portland [illegible] lines from Waterville [illegible] necting with other Railroads [illegible] Parlor cars for Boston and [illegible]

12.25 P. M.—For Augusta [illegible] and Boston, also [illegible] ville

7.45 P.M.—Night Train [illegible] ton via Augusta with [illegible] tached.

12.45 P.M.—Mixed [illegible] ing at Newport for [illegible] fast.

☞Night trains [illegible] every night, Sunday [illegible]

BUCKSPORT BRANCH

7.30 A. M., [illegible] A. M., 7.40 P. M.

Leave Bucksport [illegible] in Bangor 6.55 A. M., [illegible]

MT. DESERT BRANCH

Trains leave Bangor [illegible] and 6.50 P. M. [illegible] steamer running to [illegible] in pleasant weather.

Trains leave Bar Harbor [illegible] 3.00 P. M. [illegible] 4.15 P. M., [illegible] M., arriving in [illegible] 6.35 P. M.

ARRIVALS.

Through Trains [illegible] 6.25 P. M. [illegible] From B. & P. R. R. [illegible] From Oldtown, [illegible] P. M.

From the West—[illegible] 5.05 P. M. [illegible]

NOTE.—[illegible]

Through Tickets [illegible] West by all [illegible] Office. [illegible]

F. E. BOOTHBY, [illegible]
October 20, [illegible]

New Brunswick Ry Co.
ALL-RAIL [illegible]
ARRANGEMENT.
IN EFFECT NOV. [illegible] 1887
EASTERN STANDARD [illegible]
Southern Division.

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Northern Division.

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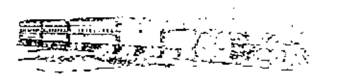

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Boston & Bangor S. S. Co.
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Three Trips a Week [illegible]

[illegible] fast, Camden, Rockland [illegible] Wednesday [illegible]

RETURNING.

From Boston, [illegible] days at 4 P. M.

From Rockland [illegible] urdays at about [illegible] Belfast, Searsport, [illegible] Hampden.

HENRY L. [illegible]
CALVIN AUSTIN, [illegible]
WILLIAM H. HILL [illegible]

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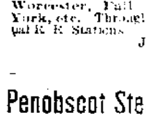

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will leave her dock at Bar [illegible] gor, at 6 A. M., every week day [illegible] by ice, and thereafter from [illegible] port, at 7 A. M., for Rockland [illegible] landings (except Searsport [illegible]

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